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TOWN OF MENDON
MASSACHUSETTS

ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
of
Mendon, Massachusetts
including the report of the
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
for the

FINANCIAL YEAR July 1, 1985 - June 30, 1986
CALENDAR YEAR January 1, 1986 - December 31, 1986



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TOWN OF MENDON

Town of Mendon Incorporated May 15, 1667

Population 3,236 — 1986 Census

Registered Voters — 1,874

Annual Election, First Monday in May

Annual Meeting

Succeeding Friday Evening after the First Monday in May

County Commissioners:

E. Paul Tinsley, *Chairman*

Paul X. Tivnan

Francis J. Holloway

West Boylston

Paxton

Shrewsbury

Third Congressional District:

Joseph D. Early

Worcester

Worcester & Norfolk Senatorial District:

Louis P. Bertonnazzi

Milford

Tenth Worcester Representative District:

Representative in General Court

Richard T. Moore

Uxbridge

Sheriff of Worcester County:

Theodore M. Herman

West Boylston

TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

Rolland Morin

SELECTMEN

Robert E. Caron Jr., *Chairman*

Robert R. Kelly

Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.

Term expires 1987

Term expires 1988

Term expires 1989

TOWN CLERK

Roseanna Elliot

Term expires 1988

TOWN TREASURER-COLLECTOR

Thomas P. Guerra

Term expires 1988

ASSESSORS

Thomas D. Hackenson, <i>Chairman</i>	Term expires 1988
Charles H. Wood	Term expires 1989
Walter J. Channing*	

BOARD OF HEALTH

William Butler, <i>Chairman</i>	Term expires 1988
Valerie Vincent	Term expires 1989
B. Joyce Gilmore	Term expires 1987

REGIONAL DISTRICT SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mendon Members

Frederick J. Pironti	Term expires 1988
Joy J. DiLegge	Term expires 1989
Brian Hastings	Term expires 1987

BLACKSTONE VALLEY TECHNICAL SCHOOL

Mendon Member

Michael Merolli	Term expires 1989
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TRUSTEES OF TAFT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Albert Wilshire	Term expires 1987
Paul Garagliano	Term expires 1989
Carole Baptiste	Term expires 1988

David Crisafulli
Robert Caron, Jr.

WATER COMMISSIONERS

Linda Varney, <i>Chairman</i>	Term expires 1987
Richard S. Ferrucci	Term expires 1989
William Ober	Term expires 1988

PARK COMMISSIONERS

David Weatherbee, <i>Chairman</i>	Term expires 1987
Michael Sullivan	Term expires 1988
James H. Grant	Term expires 1989

TREE WARDEN

Howard F. Phipps	Term expires 1989
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HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

Francis Irons	Term expires 1987
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PLANNING BOARD

James F. Ruhan, <i>Chairman</i>	Term expires 1988
Peter I. Denton	Term expires 1991
Norman I. Rogers	Term expires 1989
John O'Brien	Term expires 1990
John Robertson	Term expires 1987

HOUSING AUTHORITY

Peter I. Denton, <i>Chairman</i>	Term expires 1989
Howard F. Miller, <i>Vice Chairman</i>	Term expires 1991
David B. Lowell, <i>Treasurer</i>	Term expires 1988
Joseph Bradley	Term expires 1991
Florence Smith, <i>State Appointee*</i>	

FENCE VIEWERS

Robert R. Kelly	Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.
Robert E. Caron, Jr.	

OFFICERS APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN

Chief of Police	Dennis Grady
Town Counsel	Louis J. Noferi, Jr.
Dog Officer	Howard Miller
Wiring Inspector	Walter Butler, Jr.
Assistant Wiring Inspectors	William Flaherty
	Harold Carlson
Fire Chief & Forest Warden	Wesley Shattuck
Superintendent of Streets	Francis Iron
Custodian Soldiers' & Sailors' Graves	Douglas Taylor
Surveyor of Wood & Bark	Irvine Broome
Veterans' Agent	Mary Laflash
Director of Civil Defense	Francis Irons
Gas Inspector	Robert Rossetti
Moth Superintendent	Howard Phipps
Field Driver	Robert Caron, Jr.
Building Commissioner	Thomas D. Hackenson
Director Veterans' Services	William Butler
C.O.A. Coordinator	Lil Burnat*
C.O.A. Coordinator	Helen Salvia
Election Warden	Joanne Goodnow
Town Accountant	Geraldine Wallace (term expires 1989)

CONSTABLES

Paul Tyler	Dennis Grady
Philip Dunlavey*	

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Frederick M. Magee	Marion Reed
Roseanna Elliot	Shirley Phipps

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Alfred J. Baptiste, <i>Chairman</i>	Term expires 1988
Sharon Cutler	Term expires 1987
James Stewart	Term expires 1988
Louis Carpenito	Term expires 1989
Joseph Fabbicotti	Term expires 1987

CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

Ian O. Denton	Term expires 1989
Nancy Robertson	Term expires 1989
James Kirkpatrick	Term expires 1988
R. Blaine Hawkes*	
Grace Harde*	
Richard M. Grady	Term expires 1987
Dean Weigers	Term expires 1989

COUNCIL ON AGING

Donald Consoletti, <i>Chairman*</i>	
Lillian Burnat*	
Peggy Phipps	Term expires 1989
Mary Ames*	
Madeline Taft	Term expires 1989
Richard Ferrucci	Term expires 1987

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Chris Noonan, <i>Chairman</i>	Term expires 1989
Valerie Vincent	Term expires 1989
Arthur Ober	Term expires 1988
Janice Muldoon-Moors	Term expires 1988
Michael Burnat*	
E. Jane Coleman	Term expires 1989

BOARD OF APPEALS

Donald Keller, <i>Chairman</i>	Carlisle Lee	Albert Shaheen
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ALTERNATE MEMBERS

Earl Dufresne	Ed Shroder
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GOVERNMENT STUDY COMMITTEE

Roger Marquis, <i>Chairman</i>	Carole Baptiste
Peter Denton	Fred Kelley
Conrad Beliveau	Robert Kelly
Robert Caron	Kate Watson
Lou Carpenito	Richard Grady
John Kelly	Grace Harde*
Chris Noonan	Rolland Morin
John Robertson	

APPOINTED BY BOARD OF HEALTH

Plumbing Inspector	Robert Rossetti
Assistant Plumbing Inspector	Peter Allen
Health Agent	B. Joyce Gilmore
Burial Agent	Roseanna Elliot
Animal Inspector	Larry Pearson
Assistant Animal Inspector	Sandra Pearson

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Dr. David Crisafulli

SALARIES AND WAGES OF TOWN EMPLOYEES

Mary E. Ames	Police Matron	141.35
Robert J. Andreola, Jr.	Police Department	4,306.00
Stuart M. Applebey	Elec. & Reg.	17.20
J. Martin Auty	Police Dept.	39,823.56*
Shirley M. Barnes	Clerk/Ass't. Asessor	12,525.58
Teresa Bosma	Elec. & Reg.	76.60
Nobilee L. Bradley	Park Dept.	994.31
Dartha Broderick	Clerk	1,169.42
Mark Bucchino	Police Dept.	13,440.21*
Lillian S. Burnat	COA Coordinator	3,383.50
Walter J. Butler, Jr.	Wiring Inspector	504.00
William W. Butler	Board of Health	150.00
Americo M. Candela, Jr.	Fire Department	649.50
Alison L. Caron	Park Department	922.65
Robert E. Caron, Jr.	Selectman	833.33
Sandie Ann Channing	Police Matron	183.50
Walter J. Channing	Assessor	1,950.00
Donald J. Consoletti	Elec. & Reg.	119.60
Henry F. Corcoran	Fire Department	632.00
Marion M. Corcoran	Elec. & Reg.	17.20
Richard R. Corcoran	Fire Department	581.00
Edgar J. Cram	Police Department	7,758.00*
Lauren R. Cullen	Library	910.63
Rita C. Cutler	Elec. & Reg.	43.00
Debra J. D'Alessandro	Park Department	1,891.25
Louise A. Dautrich	Elec. & Reg.	86.00
Mary T. Dean	Elec. & Reg.	49.00
Gioachino F. DeLuca	Highway/Fire Dept.	19,796.63
Joseph M. DeLuca	Fire Department	478.50
Diane Renee Demers	Park Department	1,136.07
Peter I. Denton	Planning Board	175.00
Eileen Dunlavy	Elec. & Reg.	17.20
Philip C. Dunlavy	Police Department	31,026.94*
Patricia Dwyer	Library	1,827.00
Roseanna Elliot	Town Clerk	8,067.27
Theodore Fior, Jr.	Fire Department	45.00
Joy L. Gaskill	Answering Service	6,070.68
Martha Gebelein	Answering Service	4,439.82
Randall R. Gebelein	Fire Department	443.50
Robert W. Gebelein	Fire Department	764.50
B. Joyce Gilmore	Board of Health	3,450.02
Joanne Goodnow	Elec. & Reg.	237.59
Charlene M. Grady	Park Department	990.55
Dennis P. Grady	Police Department	27,913.62*
Thomas M. Grady	Police Department	3,414.75
Ruth M. Guerra	Clerk	10,787.21
Thomas P. Guerra	Treasurer/Collector	10,980.06
Thomas D. Hackenson	Bldg. Comm./Assessor	6,669.20
Donald Handley	Constable	10.00
William J. Hazard	Elec. & Reg.	260.00

Johanna M. Hedbor	Library	58.00
Ernest H. Horne	Police Department	7,130.96*
Francis A. Irons	Highway Superintendent/ Civil Defense	26,239.88
Helen F. Irons	Elec. & Reg.	43.00
Eileen Johnson	Elec. & Reg.	33.60
Pauline M. Johnson	Elec. & Reg.	61.90
Irene N. Kaplan	Elec. & Reg.	18.90
Donald W. Kearsley	Janitor	2,543.98
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.	Selectman	700.00
Margaret M. Kelley	Elec. & Reg.	49.45
Robert R. Kelly	Selectmen	766.67
Robert E. Klein	Police Department	7,501.12
Daniel P. LaBastie	Fire Department	670.50
Linda A. LaBastie	Clerk	2,655.95
Mary M. Laflash	Veterans' Agent	1,300.02
Blanche C. Lamothe	Elec. & Reg.	43.00
Paul A. LaPierre	Police Department	20,575.48*
George C. Larson, Jr.	Police Department	893.22
Paul J. Larson	Police Department	3,586.00
Michael J. Lauzon	Park Department	806.74
Edmund F. Leighton, Jr.	Police Department	14,389.75
Frederick M. Magee	Elec. & Reg.	85.00
Dorothy S. Mantoni	Elec. & Reg.	119.60
Nicole A. Marquis	Park Department	952.52
Eugene R. Marshall	Fire Department	438.50
Scott R. Marshall	Fire Department	203.00
Lucille Martin	Elec. & Reg.	119.60
William J. McClintock	Police Department	9,318.25
Helen M. McWain	Elec. & Reg.	68.35
Michael L. Merolli	Police Department	2,568.13
Howard F. Miller	Dog Officer	1,275.04
Mary A. Morgan	Park Department	2,330.00
Rolland J. Morin, Jr.	Moderator	50.00
Lisa Richard-Mottola	Crossing Guard	225.00
Lucille C. Nelson	Clerk	7,548.99
Louis J. Noferi, Jr.	Town Counsel	50.00
Roger H. Oakley	Police Department	8,248.75
John O'Brien	Planning Board	150.00
Michael J. Pasacane	Police Department	24,590.78*
Larry Pearson	Board of Health	375.00
Howard F. Phipps	Police Dept./Tree Warden	12,934.50
Peggy A. Phipps	Police Matron	237.20
Shirley E. Phipps	Elec. & Reg.	85.00
Catherine Portanova	Elec. & Reg.	17.20
Rita Marion Reed	Elec. & Reg.	85.00
Lorna F. Rhodes	Library	1,917.20
Anne E. Ries	Elec. & Reg.	25.60
John Robertson	Planning Board	150.00
Margaret M. Rodwill	Elec. & Reg.	33.60
Norman I. Rogers	Planning Board	150.00
Robert J. Rossetti	Gas Inspector	1,935.00

James F. Ruhan	Planning Board	175.00
Helen M. Salvia	C.O.A. Coordinator	449.99
David D. Shane	Police Department	2,121.20
Marjorie H. Shattuck	Answering Service	6,026.00
Wesley C. Shattuck	Fire Department	2,380.50
Douglas E. Simpson	Park Department	855.54
Florence Smith	Elec. & Reg.	119.60
Margaret R. Stewart	Elec. & Reg.	49.45
Diane R. Sullivan	Elec. & Reg.	19.35
Michael G. Sutton	Police Department	4,683.23*
Austin B. Taft, Jr.	Highway/Fire Department	21,255.63
Ellery F. Taft	Fire Department	185.50
Gary R. Taft	Fire Department/Library	1,159.00
Madeline L. Taft	Elec. & Reg.	23.50
Warren D. Taft	Police Department	7,532.00
Lois J. Taylor	Elec. & Reg.	68.35
Joseph N. Testa	Police Department	3,836.25
Aldore E. Tetreault	Fire Department	147.50
Leo L. Tetreault, Jr.	Highway/Fire Department	20,313.95
Margaret Tetreault	Elec. & Reg.	36.10
Michael A. Tetreault	Fire Department	728.50
Anna A. Thibault	Clerk	1,995.88
Paul R. Tyler	Constable	20.00
Simon A. VanderValk	Police Department	6,113.75
Linda L. Varney	Elec. & Reg.	17.20
Valerie Vincent	Board of Health	150.00
Geraldine R. Wallace	Clerk/Town Accountant	14,830.65
Beth Anne Weatherbee	Park Department	852.63
Stanley J. Wojnowski	Fire Department	161.50
Bethany S. Wood	Park Department	753.38
Charles H. Wood	Assessor	1,950.00
Patricia E. Woods	Clerk	1,209.75

*This includes paid detail monies in the amount of \$34,285.25 paid to the officers by private companies and not by the town.

TOWN WARRANT COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, SS.

TO THE CONSTABLE OF THE TOWN OF MENDON IN THE COUNTY OF WORCESTER,

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the TOWN HALL in said Mendon of Wednesday the 29th day of January A.D. 1986 punctually at 7:30 o'clock P.M., to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for appraisals, land acquisition and eminent domain in connection with the reconstruction of Hartford Avenue West.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for a highway sand spreader.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for an update of the town revaluation.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the Stabilization Fund.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting; one copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 15th day of January A.D. 1986.

Robert R. Kelly
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.
Robert E. Caron, Jr.

Selectmen of Mendon

A true copy, attest:

Philip G. Dunlavey

Constable of Mendon

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

Mendon, January 16, 1986

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and publishing as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Philip G. Dunlavey

Constable of Mendon

Rec'd. and Filed Jan. 16, 1986

Roseanna M. Elliot

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

January 29, 1986

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the Special Town Meeting was called to order by the Moderator Rolland Morin, Jr. at 7:30 P.M. The Town Clerk to note that the warrant was duly posted and properly returned.

Finance Committee Motions

ARTICLE 1. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$40,000 for Appraisals, Land acquisitions and Eminent Domain in connection with the reconstruction of Hartford Avenue West. **Majority Voice Vote One Nay**

ARTICLE 2. Voted to Pass over this article to appropriate a sum of money for a highway sand spreader. **Unanimous Voice Vote**

ARTICLE 3. Voted to appropriate \$10,000 for an update of the Town Revaluation. **Unanimous Voice Vote**

ARTICLE 4. Voted to appropriate \$20,000 for the Stabilization Fund. **Unanimous Voice Vote**

One non-registered voter was accepted Unanimously to attend this meeting. William E. Aten of Blackstone Street, Mendon.

Motion was made and seconded to dissolve the warrant. Simeon VanderValk, Police Officer on Duty. Joanne Goodnow and Anne E. Ries served as tellers. Time 7:50 P.M.

23 Registered Voters in attendance.

Roscanna M. Elliot — Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting — May 9, 1986

TOWN WARRANT COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, SS.

TO THE CONSTABLE OF THE TOWN OF MENDON IN THE COUNTY OF WORCESTER, **Greetings:**

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the Nipmuc Regional High School Auditorium in said Mendon on Friday the 9th day of May A.D. 1986 punctually at 7:00 o'clock P.M., to act on the following articles, Viz:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Police Salary and Wage Account to Police Reserve Account, Salary and Wages.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Free Cash or any available funds to Town Counsel Account.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Circuit Rider Account to purchase a table for the Selectmen's meeting room.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Free Cash or any available funds to Snow Removal Expense Account.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Free Cash to purchase Law Books for the Selectmen's Office.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Circuit Rider Account to help support the Blackstone Valley Regional Development Corporation.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Circuit Rider Account to pay the Conway School of Design for Site Planning for the Town Owned Land on Providence Road known as the "Morrison Property".

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to amend by adding in Section 11B, the following Zoning Bylaw:

9. Agricultural purpose. So long as the use is for the purpose of Agriculture, Horticulture, Floriculture, Viticulture, including the raising, breeding, boarding and training of livestock, poultry, dairy and beef products: nor shall the Town of Mendon prohibit or unreasonably regulate to expansion or reconstruction of existing structures situated on land used for the purpose of Agriculture, Horticulture, Floriculture, Viticulture, including the raising, breeding, boarding, and training of livestock, poultry, dairy and beef products, including those facilities for the sale of produce, and wine and dairy products, insofar as a majority of such products for sale have been produced by the owner of the land on which the facility is located.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws of the town of Mendon by adding in Section XII, after Item 2, the following new Item:

Item No. 3. No permit shall be issued for any new building or any new structure in the business district or any addition or alteration of an existing building for a use permitted in the business district which either results in an increase of not less than 300 square feet of gross floor area or requires an addition of one or more parking spaces to the amount required by these bylaws prior to such addition or alteration until a special permit is granted by the Planning Board. The application for a special permit shall be accompanied by a site plan prepared by a registered professional Engineer, Architect or Landscape architecture.

Such plan shall show, among other things, a complete description of all existing and proposed topography with intervals of no greater than two (2) feet, all existing and proposed buildings, structures, parking spaces, driveway openings, driveways, walkways, service area, waste disposal areas, signs, exterior lighting, surface water drainage facilities, sewerage, disposal facilities and landscape features such as fences, barriers, and planting areas. Five copies of the Plan shall be filed with the application, two to be forwarded to the Planning Board, who shall notify the Fire Chief and Police Chief of the Plan, one to the Board of Selectmen, one to the Highway Surveyor and one to the Building Inspector. In reviewing the site plan, the Planning Board shall consider, among other things, the following:

A. Compliance with the requirements for parking, lot size, frontage, yards, heights and coverage of building and all other provisions of these bylaws.

B. Convenience and safety of vehicular and pedestrian movement within the site and in relation to adjacent streets, properties and improvements.

C. Adequacy of arrangement and number of parking and loading spaces in relation to the proposed use of the premises.

D. Provision for off-street loading and unloading of vehicles incidental to the servicing of the building, and related uses on the lot or tract.

E. Arrangement and appearances of existing and proposed buildings, structures, signs, screening and landscaping.

F. Adequacy of methods for waste disposal, surface and sub-surface drainage and lighting.

G. Protection of adjoining premises and the general neighborhood from anything detrimental to the lot or tract.

POLLS WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting: one copy thereof shall be posed on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 24th day of April A.D. 1986.

Robert R. Kelly

Frederick J. Kelley, Jr.

Robert E. Caron, Jr.

Selectmen of Mendon

A True Copy Attest:

Philip G. Dunlavey

Constable of Mendon

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, SS.

Mendon 04-24-1986

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and publishing as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Philip G. Dunlavey

Constable of Mendon

Annual Town Meeting — May 9, 1986

TOWN WARRANT COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

TO THE CONSTABLE OF THE TOWN OF MENDON IN THE COUNTY OF WORCESTER,

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs to meet at the All Purpose Room of the Henry P. Clough School in said Mendon on Monday the 5th day of May A.D. 1986 punctually at 9:00 o'clock A.M. to act on the following articles, Viz:

Article 2 and all the following articles on this Warrant will be acted upon on Friday, May 9, 1986 at 7:30 P.M. at the main Auditorium of the Nipmuc Regional High School.

ARTICLE 1. To bring to their ballots for the Following Town Officers:
One Town Moderator for one year.
One Selectmen for three years.
One member of the Board of Health for three years.
One member of the Mendon-Upton Regional School District
Committee for three years.
One member of the Housing Authority for five years.
One Trustee of the Taft Public Library for three years.
One Water Commissioner for three years.
One Park Commissioner for three years.
One member of the Planning Board for five years.
One Tree Warden for three years.
One member of the Blackstone Valley Vocational Regional
School District for three years.
One member of the Park Commission for two years.
One trustee of the Taft Public Library for two years.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1986 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4 and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

ARTICLE 3. To fix the salaries and compensations of the elected officers of the Town.

ARTICLE 4. To determine what sums of money the Town will raise and appropriate to defray charges and expenses of the Town including debt and interest and to provide for a Reserve Fund for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 5. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to appropriate from Revenue Sharing Funds to defray charges and expenses of the Town.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and direct the Assessors to take a sum of money from Available Funds to reduce the tax levy in fiscal year 1986/87.

ARTICLE 7. To see whether the Town will vote to authorize its treasurer (collector) to enter into a compensation balance agreement or agreements for fiscal year 1987 pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 53F of the Mass. General Laws.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town of Mendon by-laws by adding the following new law: Chapter 11, Section 11.

1. No person shall keep, or cause to be kept, operate or suffer to be operated, on premises owned or leased by him or subject to his control, any mechanical or electronic automatic amusement device, whether coin-operated or not, (as defined under, but not limited to, Chapter 140, Section 177A (2) of the Mass General Laws) except private in-home use coin-operated juke boxes, pool, billiard, bowling and athletic training devices.
2. Any person found violating the provisions of this by-law will be punished by a fine of \$200.00 for each offense.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter III of the Town by-laws by adding the following new section: The Board of Selectmen will annually appoint a five member Capital Planning Committee to serve for a period of one year. One member of the Committee to be selected from the Finance Committee.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter VI of the Town by-laws by adding the following new section: The Selectmen's Authority to settle claims brought against the Town shall be limited to \$10,000.00. Any settlement in excess shall have to be approved by vote of a Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter VIII, Section 11 of the Town by-laws to read: No person shall throw rubbish, garbage, bottles, papers or any other trash on any street within the limits of the Town of Mendon, and if any person violates this by-law he shall be fined a minimum of fifty dollars.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter VIII, Section 8 of the Town by-laws to read as follows: No person shall ride upon any vehicle on any sidewalk in town, except town vehicles.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the town will vote to amend Chapter III of the by-laws by adding the following new section:
Any elected town official can be recalled at a special town-wide election. Such election to be called after a petition, signed by at least 51 % of the registered voters in town, is submitted to and certified by the Town Clerk. Each elected position subject to recall, to require a petition signed by 51 % of the registered voters. Any election must be called within 30 days of the certification of the petition by the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the town will vote to accept Chapter 59, Section 5, Clause 17c of the Mass General Laws.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the town will vote to accept Chapter 59, Section 5, Clause 41b of the Mass. General Laws.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 7 of the Town by-laws by adding: No dog shall be allowed to run loose on rubbish removal days, until all rubbish is collected.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the town will vote to allow the Town Clerk to increase her fees for the following services as listed below:

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| 1. For filing and indexing assignments for the benefit of creditors, | now \$2.00 | \$5.00 |
| 2. For entering amendment of a record of the birth of an illegitimate child subsequently legitimized, | now \$2.00 | \$5.00 |
| 3. For correcting errors in a record of birth, | now \$2.00 | \$5.00 |
| 4. For furnishing a certificate of birth, | now \$2.00 | \$3.00 |
| 5. For furnishing an abstract copy of a record of birth, | now \$1.00 | \$2.00 |
| 6. For entering a delayed record of birth, | now \$2.00 | \$5.00 |
| 7. For filing a certificate of a person conducting business under any title other than his real name, | now \$1.00 | \$10.00 |

8. For filing by a person conducting business under any title other than his real name a statement of change of residence, or of his discontinuance, retirement or withdrawal from such business, or of a change of location of said business,	now \$0.50	\$5.00
9. For furnishing a certified copy of Certificate of person conducting business under any title other than his real name or a statement by such person of his discontinuance, retirement or withdrawal from such business,	now \$0.50	\$3.00
10. For recording the name, address, date and number of the certificate issued to a person for the practice of Podiatry in the Commonwealth.	now \$1.00	\$10.00
11. For correcting errors in a record of death,	now \$2.00	\$5.00
12. For furnishing a certificate of death,	now \$2.00	\$3.00
13. For furnishing an abstract copy of a record of death,	now \$1.00	\$2.00
14. For entering notice of intention of marriage and issuing certificates thereof,	now \$4.00	\$10.00
15. For entering certificate of marriage filed by persons married out of the Commonwealth,	now \$2.00	\$3.00
16. For issuing certificate of marriage,	now \$2.00	\$3.00
17. For furnishing an abstract copy of a marriage,	now \$1.00	\$2.00
18. For correcting errors in a record of marriage,	now \$2.00	\$3.00
19. For recording power of attorney,	now \$1.00	\$5.00
20. For recording certificate of registration granted to a person to engage in the practice of Optometry or issuing a certified copy thereof,	now \$1.00	\$10.00
21. For recording the name of the owner of a certificate or registration as a physician or osteopath in the Commonwealth,	now \$1.00	\$10.00
22. For recording order granting location of poles, piers, abutments or conduits, alterations of transfers thereof and increase in number of wires and cable or attachments under the provisions of Sec. 22 of Chapter 166 - \$3.50 additional for each street or way included in such order.	Flat Rate now \$4.50	\$25.00
	Additional Fee now \$3.50	\$5.00
23. For examining records or papers relating to birth, marriage, or deaths upon the application of any person, the actual expense thereof, but not less than \$2.00	now \$2.00	\$5.00
24. For copying any manuscript or record pertaining to a birth, death or marriage,	now \$2.00	\$3.00
25. For receiving and filing of a complete inventory of all items to be included in a "closing out sale", etc. per page	now \$1.00	\$2.00
26. For filing a copy of written instrument or declaration of trust by the trustees of an association or trust, or any amendment thereof as provided by Section 2 Chapter 182,	now \$5.00	\$10.00

27. For recording deed of lot plot in a public burial place or cemetery,		now \$1.00	\$5.00
28. For recording any other documents	First Page		\$5.00
	Each additional page		\$2.00
29. Voters Card,		now \$1.00	\$2.00

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for capital improvements to the library and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, or any available funds in the Treasury.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for a new highway sander and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or any available funds in the Treasury.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for engineering costs in conjunction with the repair of the Hartford Avenue East bridge and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or any available funds in the Treasury. Said monies shall only be expended if money for the reconstruction is received by the State.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the repair and maintenance of Town buildings and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or any available funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to purchase, lease, or lease purchase a computer or computer systems for the town hall and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or any available funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to complete the basketball and tennis courts at Memorial Field and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or any available funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for Police radios and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or any available funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for installation of a new phone system for the town hall and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or any available funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the repair and/or reconstruction of Asylum Street and Lovell Street.

POLLS WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting; one copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 24th day of April A.D. 1986.

Robert R. Kelly
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.
Robert E. Caron

Selectmen of Mendon

A True Copy, Attest:

Philip G. Dunlavey

Constable of Mendon

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

Mendon April 24, 1986

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and publishing as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Philip G. Dunlavey, Constable of Mendon

REc. 4-24-86 RME

Roseanna M. Elliot, Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

May 9, 1986

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the Moderator Rolland J. Morrin, Jr. calls the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. The Town Clerk to note that the warrant is duly published and served. The Moderator dispenses with the reading of the warrant. Two non-residents admitted into meeting; Peter Coffin who is doing a survey for the town on long-range planning and Matthew S. Publicover, reporter for the Middlesex News. The meeting began at 7:00 P.M.

FINANCE COMMITTEE MOTIONS.

ARTICLE 1. Voted that the Town transfer the amount of \$14,650.00 from the Police Salary and Wage account to the Police Reserve Salary and Wage Account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 2. Voted that the Town transfer the amount of \$3,500 from the Revenue Sharing Account to the Town Counsel Account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 3. DEFEATED that the town transfer the sum of \$1,000.00 from Circuit Rider Account to purchase a table for the Selectmen's meeting room.

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 4. Voted that the Town pass over this article.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 5. Voted that the Town transfer the sum of \$1,900.00 from free cash to purchase law books for the Selectmen's Office.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 6. Voted that the Town transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from the Circuit Rider Account to help support the Blackstone Valley Regional Development Corporation.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 7. Voted that the Town transfer the sum of \$800.00 from the Circuit Rider Salary Account to pay the Conway School of Design for site planning done for the town owned land on Providence Road known as the Morrison Property.
UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

SELECTMEN & PLANNING BOARD MOTIONS

ARTICLE 8. Voted to pass over this article.
MAJORITY VOICE VOTE (1 nay)

ARTICLE 9. Read and discussed but because of the lateness of the hour the meeting was recessed at 7:30 P.M. to call to order the Annual Town Meeting for 10 minutes.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

May 9, 1986

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant the Incumbent Moderator Rolland J. Morin, Jr. calls the meeting to order at 7:30 P.M. in accordance with Town of Mendon by-laws. The Town Clerk notes that the warrant is duly published and served. The moderator dispenses with the reading of the warrant and calls a recess for 10 minutes to finish the special town meeting that was adjourned to call the Annual Meeting to order.

7:33 P.M. Special Town Meeting called back.

ARTICLE 9. requested to be reread:
Voted to amend the zoning by-laws of the Town of Mendon by adding in Section XII, after Item 2, the following new item.

Item No. 3 — No such permit shall be issued for any new building or any new structure in the Business District or any addition to alteration of an existing building for a use permitted in the business district which either results in an increase of not less than 300 square feet of gross floor area or requires an addition of one or more parking spaces to the amount required by these by-laws prior to such addition or alteration until a special permit is granted by the planning board. The application for a special permit shall be accompanied by a site plan prepared by a Registered Professional Engineer, Architect or Landscape Architect.

Such plan shall show among other things, a complete description of all existing and proposed topography with intervals of no greater than two (2) feet, all existing and proposed buildings, structures, parking spaces, driveway openings, driveways, walkways, service area, waste disposal areas, signs, exterior lighting, surface water drainage facilities, sewerage, disposal facilities and landscape features such as fences, barriers, and planting areas. Five copies of the plan shall be filed with the application, two to be forwarded to the Planning Board, who shall notify the Fire Chief and Police Chief of the plan; one to the Board of Selectmen, one to the Highway Surveyor and one to the Building Inspector. In reviewing the site plan, the Planning Board shall consider, among other things, the following:

- A. Compliance with the requirements for parking, lot size, frontage, yards, heights and coverage of building and all other provisions of these by-laws.
- B. Convenience and safety of vehicular and pedestrian movement within the site and in relation to adjacent streets, properties and improvements.

- C. Adequacy of arrangement and number of parking and loading spaces in relation to the proposed use of the premises.
- D. Provision for off-street loading and unloading of vehicles incidental to the servicing of the buildings, and related uses on the lot or tract.
- E. Arrangement and appearances of existing and proposed buildings, structures, signs, screening and landscaping.
- F. Adequacy of methods for waste disposal, surface and subsurface drainage and lighting.
- G. Protection of adjoining premises and the general neighborhood from anything detrimental of the lot or tract.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

Motion made and seconded to dissolve the Warrant 7:36 P.M. Joanne Goodnow and Mary Ames, tellers. Edgar Cram, Police Officer on duty, 75 voters in attendance. We remained in recess of the 10 minutes to allow voters to enter the hall and to stretch for a minute.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

May 9, 1986 - 7:40 P.M.

Recalled to order at 7:40 P.M. noting that the warrant was duly posted and served. The Moderator Rolland J. Morin, Jr. noting that the topographical map in the entry way was made by three Miscoe Hill Middle School students, Jim Kempton, Bryan Deering, and Danny Denenberg, brought the boys onto the stage for a round of applause and a Thank You for a job well done. Non-registered people voted into the meeting were Alice Anderson, Worcester Telegram and Gazette; Matthew Publicover, Middlesex News; Peter Coffin, survey consultant; Joseph and Susan Ethier of 51 Asylum Street, registered but not in time of deadline to vote in this election. Also the Town Attorney Mr. Louis Noferi.

ARTICLE 2. Voted that the town authorize the treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the Revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1986 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4 and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 3. Voted that the town fix the salaries and compensations of the elected offices of the Town as follows, except the Town Clerk's salary as an amendment was proposed:

Town Clerk	\$6,292.00 amendment pending
Town Moderator	50.00
Selectmen Chairman	900.00
Selectmen Member	700.00
Town Treasurer/Collector	11,660.00
Assessor	2,400.00
Board of Health Chairman	200.00
Board of Health Member	150.00
Planning Board Chairman	200.00
Planning Board Member	150.00
Tree Warden	5.42/hr.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 3. Amendment to Town Clerk's salary, proposal \$9,500.00 discussion followed by **MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.**

ARTICLE 4. Voted that the town raise and appropriate to defray charges and expenses of the town including debt and interest and to provide for a reserve fund for the ensuing year as written with the exception of the following line items: 2B, 8A, 8D, 16A, 25D, 26B, 26F, and 43D. **UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.**

Item 2B

Defeated that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for a portable computer system for the Finance Committee.

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

Item 8A

Voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,500.00 for the Town Clerk's salary. **MAJORITY VOICE VOTE (1 nay)**

Item 8D

Voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for out of state travel for the town clerk for schooling. **UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.**

Item 16A

Amendment made and voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,182.00 instead of the sum of \$48,988.00 for the Town Hall Salaries and Wages account.

MAJORITY HAND COUNT. 48 Yes 44 No.

Item 25D

Voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$98,328.00 for trash pick-up. **MAJORITY VOICE VOTE (1 nay)**

Item 26B

Amendment made and voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$46,481.00 instead of the sum of \$45,225.00 for the Highway Department General Repair, Salaries and Wage Account. **MAJORITY VOICE VOTE (1 nay)**

Item 26F

Amendment made and voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$37,468.00 instead of the sum of \$36,454.00 for the Highway Department Snow Removal Salary and Wage Account. **UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.**

Item 43D

Defeated that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$0.00 for the Stabilization Fund. **MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.**

ARTICLE 5. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$54,500.00 from Revenue Sharing to defray charges and expenses of the town said monies to be applied to repair of the Library (Special Article 19 - \$15,000.00) and completion of the Basketball and Tennis Courts at Memorial Field (Special Article 24 - \$39,500.00)

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 6. Voted that the town pass over this article.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 7. Voted that the town authorize its Treasurer (Collector) to enter into a compensating balance agreement or agreements for fiscal year 1987, pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 53F of the Mass. General Laws.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

SELECTMEN'S MOTIONS.

ARTICLE 8. Defeated that the town amend the town of Mendon by-laws by adding the following new law.

CHAPTER 11, SECTION 11

1. No person shall keep, or cause to be kept, operate or suffer to be operated, on premises owned or leased by him or subject to his control, any mechanical or electronic automatic device, whether coin-operated or not, (as defined under, but not limited to, Chapter 140, Section 177A (2) of the Mass. General Laws) except private in-home use coin-operated juke boxes, pool, billiard, bowling and athletic training devices.

2. Any person found violating the provisions of this by-law will be punished by a fine of \$200.00 for each offense.

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 9. Voted that the Town amend Chapter III, of the Town by-laws by adding the following new section: the Board of Selectmen will annually appoint a five-member Capital Planning Committee to serve for a period of one year. One member of the Committee to be selected from the Finance Committee.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 10. Voted that the town amend Chapter VI of the Town by-laws by adding the following new section: the Selectmen's authority to settle claims brought against the town shall be limited to \$10,000.00. Any settlement in excess shall have to be approved by vote of a Town Meeting.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 11 Voted that the town amend Chapter VIII, Section 11 of the Town's by-laws to read: No person shall throw rubbish, garbage, bottles, papers or any other trash on any street within the limits of the Town of Mendon, and if any person violates this by-law he shall be fined a minimum of (\$50.00). Amended by a Unanimous Voice Vote to be raised to \$100.00 fine. The entire article as amended was voted with a

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 12 Defeated that the town amend Chapter VIII, Section 8 of the Town of Mendon by-laws to read as follows: No person shall ride upon any vehicle on any sidewalk in town, except town vehicles.

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 13. Before Amendments: To amend Chapter III of the Town of Mendon by-laws by adding the following new section: Any elected Town Official can be recalled at a Special Town-wide election. Such election to be called after a petition, signed by at least 51 % of the registered voters in Town is submitted to and certified by the Town Clerk. Each elected position subjected to recall, to require a petition signed by 51 % of the registered voters. Any election must be called within 30 days of the certification of the petition by the Town Clerk.

This Article was amended by a UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE to change the words Town Clerk to Board of Registrars, as they are the certifiers of the registered voters.

Voted with the amendment by a

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS MOTIONS:

ARTICLE 14 Voted that the town accept Chapter 59, Section 5, Clause 17c of the Massachusetts General Laws. (Pertaining to widows, minors with deceased parents and certain people over 70, real estate property exemptions.)

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 15. Voted that the town accept Chapter 59, Section 5, Clause 41B of the Massachusetts General Laws. (Pertaining to a real estate exemption for people over 70).

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

SELECTMEN'S ARTICLE MOTIONS:

ARTICLE 16. Voted that the Town accept Chapter 640 of the Acts and Resolves of 1985. (Giving selectmen the power to deny or revoke any license because local taxes, fees, assessments, betterments or municipal charges are not paid.)

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 17. Voted that the town amend Section 7 of the Town of Mendon by-laws by adding: No dog shall be allowed to run loose on rubbish removal days, until all rubbish is collected.

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 18. Withdrawn that the town allow the Town Clerk to raise her fees for the services as was listed in the Warrant.

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE. (2 nays)

FINANCE COMMITTEE MOTIONS:

ARTICLE 19. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$15,000.00 from the revenue sharing account for capital improvements to the Library.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 20. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$7,200.00 for a new highway sander.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 21. Defeated that the town transfer the sum of \$20,000.00 from free cash for engineering costs in conjunction with the repair of the Hartford Avenue East Bridge. Said monies shall only be expended if money for the reconstruction is received from the State.

DEFEATED HAND COUNT 34 Yes 42 No.

ARTICLE 22. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$19,750.00 for repair and maintenance of Town buildings.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 23. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$50,000.00 from free cash to purchase, lease or lease-purchase a Computer or Computer systems for the town hall.

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 24. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$39,500.00 from revenue sharing funds for the completion of the basketball and tennis courts at Memorial Field.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 25. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$16,000.00 for the purchase of Police radios.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 26 Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$3,300.00 for the installation of a telephone system for the Town Hall.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 26. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$3,300.00 for the installation of a telephone system for the Town Hall.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 27. Original Article read: to transfer the sum of \$50,000.00 from free cash for the repair and/or reconstruction of Asylum and Lovell Streets. AMENDED TO read and voted that the town transfer the sum of \$40,000.00 from free cash for the repair and/or reconstruction of Asylum Street.

MAJORITY HAND COUNT 32 Yes No 13.

MOTION MADE AND SECONDED TO DISSOLVE THE WARRANT.

Time 11:38 P.M.

Police Officer Edgar Cram on duty. Tellers are Joanne Goodnow and Mary Ames. There are 150 registered voters in attendance.

Roseanna M. Elliot, Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

June 30, 1986

TOWN WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

TO THE CONSTABLE of the TOWN OF MENDON in the COUNTY OF WORCESTER,

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the TOWN HALL in said Mendon on MONDAY the 30th day of June A.D. 1986 punctually at 730 o'clock P.M., to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the town will vote to transfer a sum of money from interest on temporary loan account to town hall salary and wage account.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the town will vote to transfer a sum of money from town reports account to snow removal salary and wage account.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from free cash to general repairs expense account.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the town will vote to transfer a sum of money from election and registration salary and wage account and town report account to election and registration expense account.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for engineering costs in conjunction with the repair of the Hartford Avenue East Bridge and the determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or any available funds in the treasury. Said monies shall only be expended if money for the reconstruction is received from the state.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the repair and/or reconstruction of Lovell Street and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or any available funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the Reserve account to Water Department Expense Account.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the town will vote to transfer a sum of money from interest on temporary loan account to offset fee account.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the town will vote to transfer the sum of \$950.00 from Fire Department out of state travel to Fire Department Expense Account.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for a land easement on property owned by Blaine Hawkes, in conjunction with the construction of an outlet on Lake Nipmuc and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or any available funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the town will vote to transfer a sum of money from interest on temporary loans to update Zoning Maps and develop a set of Overlay Maps.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the town will vote to transfer a sum of money from insurance town buildings to purchase a hose rack for the Fire Department.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Town Report Account to Moderator Salary and Wage Account.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Circuit Rider Account to Fire Department Salary and Wage Account.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to repair or replace Water Department hydrants and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or any available funds in the Treasury.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the town will vote to accept Professional Development Grants provided by the Commonwealth in amounts totaling \$67,345.00 which will be expended by the Blackstone Valley Vocational Regional School District Committee for supplementing Teachers Salaries by June 30, 1986, as provided by Section 13, Chapter 188 of the Acts of 1985.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting: One copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 16th day of June A.D., 1986.

Robert E. Caron, Jr.

Robert R. Kelly

Selectmen of Mendon

Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.

A True Copy, Attest:

Paul R. Tyler, Constable of Mendon

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

Mendon June 16, 1986

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and publishing as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Paul R. Tyler, Constable of Mendon

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

June 30, 1986

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the Moderator Rolland J. Morin, Jr. calls the meeting to order at precisely 7:30 P.M. The Town Clerk to note that the warrant is duly published and served. The moderator dispenses with the reading of the warrant. Two non-registered people were voted into the meeting; Linda Kearsley of Hopedale, reporter for the Milford Daily News and Mark Bucchino of Mendon.

FINANCE COMMITTEE MOTIONS:

ARTICLE 1. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$2,375.00 from interest on temporary loan account to the Town Hall Salary and Wage Account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 2. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$650.00 from the town reports account to snow removal Salary and Wage account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 3. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 from Free Cash to the general repairs expense account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 4. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$232.00 from elections and registrations salary and wage account and \$160.00 from the town report account to election and registration expense account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

At 7:39 P.M. Peter Coffin of the Regional Planning Study was voted admittance into the hall.

ARTICLE 5. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$20,000.00 from free cash for engineering costs in conjunction with the repair of the Hartford Avenue East Bridge. Said monies shall only be expended if money for the reconstruction is received from the State.

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 6. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 from free cash for the repair and/or reconstruction of Lovell Street.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 7. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$1,700.00 from the reserve account to the Water Department expense account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 8. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$5,600.00 from the interest on temporary loan account to the offset fee account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 9. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$950.00 from the Fire Department out of state travel account to the Fire Department Expense account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 10. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 for a land easement on Property owned by Blaine Hawkes, in conjunction with the construction of an outlet on Lake Nipmuck.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 11. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from interest on temporary loans to update zoning maps and develop a set of overlay maps.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 12 Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$1,700.00 from insurance on town buildings to purchase a Hose Rack for the Fire Department.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 13. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$20.00 from the town report account to the Moderator Salary and Wage account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 14. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$2,500.00 from the Circuit Rider account to the Fire Department Salary and Wage Account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 15. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 to repair or replace the Water Department hydrants.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 16. Voted that the town accept the Professional Development Grants provided by the Commonwealth in amounts totalling \$67,345.00 which will be expended by the Blackstone Valley Regional School District Committee for supplementing teachers salaries by June 30, 1986, as provided by Section 13, Chapter 188 of the Acts of 1985.

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE (1 nay)

At 7:50 P.M. Debra Boisvert of Whitinsville was allowed admittance as an observer and local Real Estate Agent.

8:05 P.M.: MOTION MADE AND SECONDED TO DISSOLVE THE WARRANT.

Pllice officer Edgar Cram on duty. Tellers are Joanne Goodnow and Mary Ames. There are 66 registered voters in attendance.

Roseanna M. Elliot, Town Clerk

TOWN WARRANT
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

TO THE CONSTABLE of the TOWN OF MENDON in the COUNTY OF WORCESTER,

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs to meet at the HENRY P. CLOUGH School all-purpose room in said Mendon on TUESDAY the 16th day of SEPTEMBER A.D. 1986 punctually at 7:00 o'clock A.M. to act on the following articles, viz:

To cast their votes in the STATE PRIMARY for the candidates of political parties for the following offices:

GOVERNOR.....	For the Commonwealth
LT. GOVERNOR.....	For the Commonwealth
ATTORNEY GENERAL.....	For the Commonwealth
SECRETARY.....	For the Commonwealth
TREASURER.....	For the Commonwealth
AUDITOR.....	For the Commonwealth

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS.....	3rd Congressional District
COUNCILLOR.....	7th Councillor District
SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT...Worcester & Norfolk Senatorial Dist.	
REPRESENTATIVE IN	
GENERAL COURT.....	8th Representative District
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.....	Middle District
SHERIFF.....	Worcester County
COUNTY COMMISSIONER.....	Worcester County

POLLS WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting; one copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said Town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 25th day of August A.D. 1986.

Robert E. Caron, Jr.

Robert R. Kelly

Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.

Selectmen of Mendon

A true copy attest:

Mark P. Bucchino, Constable of Mendon

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

Mendon September 4, 1986

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and publishing as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Mark P. Bucchino, Constable of Mendon

Red'd. and filed Sept. 4, 1986

Roseanna M. Elliot, Town Clerk

PRIMARY September 16, 1986

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the polls were declared open at 7:00 A.M. The empty ballot box was shown and inspected before the voting began. Police Officer William McClintock was on duty and the following election workers were duly qualified and sworn in by Election Warden Joanne Goodnow:

Helen Irons, Louise Dautrich, Lucille Martin, Florence Smith, Blanche Lamothe, Donald Consoletti was assigned to the ballot box and Dorothy Mantoni was appointed Clerk for the day.

Officer Robert Klein came on duty at 5:00 P.M. along with the evening election workers: Pauline Johnson, Lois Taylor, Margaret Kelley, Helen McIlwain, Diane Sullivan, Peggy Stewart was assigned the ballot box and Mary Ames was appointed Clerk for the evening. Because of the very low turn-out for the election, Pauline Johnson left at the close of the polls at 8:00 P.M. and the counters were called and asked not to come in as the people already there would be sufficient for counting.

The Total Tally Counters, Shirley Barnes and Linda LaBastie reported at 8:00 P.M. The polls were closed at 8:00 P.M. by Warden Joanne Goodnow and the totals were read at 9:10 P.M. The total votes cast were 174 — 136 Democrat and 38 Republican. Result follows:

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

GOVERNOR	
Michael S. Dukakis.....	97
John Collins.....	1
Raymond Shamie.....	1
James Collins.....	1
Blanks.....	36
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR	
Gerald D'Amico.....	58
Evelyn F. Murphy.....	75
Blanks.....	3
ATTORNEY GENERAL	
James Shannon.....	70
JoAnn Shotwell.....	46
Blanks.....	45
SECRETARY	
Michael Joseph Connolly.....	91
Blanks.....	50
TREASURER	
Robert Q. Crane.....	86
Blanks.....	50
AUDITOR	
A. Joseph DeNucci.....	59
Maura A. Hennigan.....	14
CONGRESSMAN 3rd District	
Joseph D. Early.....	100
Blanks.....	36
COUNCILLOR 7th District	
Thomas P. Hamiton.....	22
Les Harvey.....	25
James D. O'Brien, Jr.....	42
Blanks.....	47
SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT Worcester & Norfolk District	
Louis P. Bertonazzi.....	114
Blanks.....	22
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT 8th Worcester District	
Richard T. Moore.....	109
Blanks.....	27
DISTRICT ATTORNEY Middle District	
John J. Conte.....	98
Blanks.....	38

SHERIFF	Worcester County	
Michael J. Donoghue.....		59
COUNTY COMMISSIONER	Worcester County	
Francis J. Holloway.....		85
Blanks.....		51

REPUBLICAN PARTY

GOVERNOR		
Gergory S. Hyatt.....		15
Royall H. Switzler.....		11
George Kariotis.....		3
Blanks.....		9
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR		
Nicholas M. Nikitas.....		29
Blanks.....		9
ATTORNEY GENERAL		
Edward F. Harrington.....		29
Blanks.....		9
SECRETARY		
Deborah R. Cochran.....		27
Blanks.....		11
TREASURER		
L. Joyce Hampers.....		29
Blanks.....		9
AUDITOR		
Andrew S. Natsios.....		24
William (Bill) Robinson.....		10
Blanks.....		4
CONGRESSMAN	3rd District	
Blanks.....		38
COUNCILLOR	7th District	
Blanks.....		38
SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT	Worcester & Norfolk District	
Blanks.....		38
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT	8th Worcester District	
Paul J. Kelley.....		25
Blanks.....		13
DISTRICT ATTORNEY	Middle District	
Blanks.....		38
SHERIFF	Worcester County	
Alexander C. Stowe.....		25
Blanks.....		13
COUNTY COMMISSIONER	Worcester County	
Blanks.....		38

Roseanna M. Elliot, Town Clerk

TOWN WARRANT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

TO THE CONSTABLE of the TOWN of MENDON in the COUNTY of WORCESTER,

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL, all purpose room in said Mendon on Tuesday the 4th day of November A.D. 1986 punctually at 7:00 o'clock A.M., to act on the following articles, viz:

To cast their votes in the State Election for the candidates for the following offices and to cast their votes for the questions listed below:

GOVERNOR-LIEUT. GOVERNOR.....	For the Commonwealth
ATTORNEY GENERAL.....	For the Commonwealth
SECRETARY.....	For the Commonwealth
TREASURER.....	For the Commonwealth
AUDITOR.....	For the Commonwealth
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS.....	3rd Congressional District
COUNCILLOR.....	7th Councillor District
SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT.....	Worcester, Norfolk Senatorial District
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.....	Middle District
SHERIFF.....	Worcester County
COUNTY COMMISSIONER.....	Worcester County

ATTENTION VOTER

Regardless of how or whether you vote on Question A, you may vote for County Charter Commission candidates who shall serve if the vote on this question is in the affirmative.

WORCESTER COUNTY CHARTER COMMISSIONER.....

QUESTION A

Shall a Charter Study Commission be created to study the present governmental structure of Worcester County to consider and make findings concerning the form of government and make recommendations thereon?

Yes _____

No _____

QUESTION 1

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the House of Representatives and the Senate on June 27, 1984 by a vote of 120-67, and on April 30, 1986 by a vote of 123-69?

Yes _____

No _____

SUMMARY

The proposed constitutional amendment would allow the legislature to prohibit or regulate abortions to the extent permitted by the United States Constitution. It would also provide that the state constitution does not require public or private funding of abortions, or the provision of services or facilities for performing abortions, beyond what is required by the United States Constitution. The provisions of this amendment would not apply to abortions required to prevent the death of the mother.

QUESTION 2

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the House of Representatives and the Senate on December 12, 1984 by a vote of 108-79, and on April 16, 1986 by a vote of 107-87?

Yes_____

No_____

SUMMARY

The proposed constitutional amendment would allow the expenditure of public funds for private schools and private school students.

It would remove primary and secondary schools from the list of non-public institutions barred from receiving public aid and would allow public money, property, or loans of credit to be used for founding, maintaining, or aiding those schools. The proposed amendment would also allow public financial aid, materials, or services to be provided to a non-public school student requesting such aid, but only if that school does not discriminate in its entrance requirements on the basis of race, color, national origin, religious belief, sex, or physical handicap. The state legislature would have the power to impose limits on aid, materials, or services provided to students.

QUESTION 3

Law proposed by Initiative Petition

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was disapproved by the House of Representatives on May 6, 1986, by a vote of 49-93, and on which no vote was taken by the Senate before May 7, 1986?

Yes_____

No_____

SUMMARY

The proposed law would reduce and then repeal the 7½ % surtax on Massachusetts state income taxes and would limit state revenue growth to the level of growth in total wages and salaries of the citizens of the state.

It would set the rate of the surtax on Massachusetts state income taxes at 3¼ % for tax years beginning during 1986, and it would repeal the surtax for tax years beginning on or after January 1, 1987.

The allowable state tax revenues for any fiscal year are limited to the allowable state tax revenues for the prior fiscal year as increased by the average rate of growth of Massachusetts wages and salaries for the three immediately preceding calendar

years. For purposes of calculating the proposed limit for fiscal year 1987, allowable state tax revenues for fiscal 1986 are the net tax revenues for that fiscal year, but excluding revenues derived from the surtax on state personal income tax. Further, if in any fiscal year the calculation of the limit results in allowable state tax revenues less than the amount of allowable state tax revenues for the prior year, then allowable state tax revenues for that fiscal year shall be equal to the allowable state tax revenues for the prior year. The revenues limited by this law would not include non-tax revenues such as federal reimbursements, tuitions, fees and earnings on investments.

The amount of allowable state tax revenues for any fiscal year would have to be reduced if a new state law were enacted allowing local governments to impose new or increased taxes or excises. The reduction would be equal to the amount of revenue derived from the new tax or increase. The reduction in state tax revenues would first take effect in the fiscal year following the enactment of the new law authorizing new local taxes or increases.

If state tax revenues exceed the limit imposed by the proposed law, as determined by the State Auditor, a tax credit would have to be granted equal to the total amount of excess tax revenue. The credit would be applied to the then current personal income tax liability of all taxpayers in proportion to their personal income tax liability in the preceding year.

The provisions of this Act could be enforced in court by a group of taxpayers.

QUESTION 4
Law Proposed by Initiative Petition

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was approved by the House of Representatives on May 5, 1986, by a vote of 145-0, and on which no vote was taken by the Senate before May 7, 1986?

Yes _____
No _____

SUMMARY

The proposed law would require the State Department of Environmental Quality Engineering (DEQE) to search for sites in the Commonwealth where oil or hazardous materials have been disposed of and to take all steps necessary to clean up those sites within specified time limits. Provisions are made for informing the public about sites in their communities.

Beginning on January 15, 1987, DEQE would be required to publish lists every three months of all sites where it had confirmed that uncontrolled oil or hazardous materials have been disposed of and locations to be investigated as possible disposal sites. The lists would describe what actions have been taken at each site or location. DEQE would be required to list, to the extent that it has identified, at least 400 possible disposal sites by January 15, 1987, in each subsequent year.

Within one year after a location is listed as a possible disposal site DEQE would be required to determine if further investigation is warranted. If so, within two years after the listing, DEQE must confirm whether the location is a disposal site, and whether it poses an imminent or substantial hazard to health, safety, public welfare or the environment.

For sites found to pose a substantial hazard, DEQE would be required, within the next two years, to ensure that those hazards are eliminated and to develop a plan to eliminate permanently future risks from those sites. Imminent hazards would have to be eliminate permanently. For sites found not to pose any substantial hazards

DEQE must, within seven years after the listing, ensure that the full extent of contamination is evaluated and that a plan to eliminate permanently future risks is developed.

The proposed law would require DEQE to provide public notice and encourage public participation. Within 30 days after completing a site investigation, DEQE would have to inform the public through local newspapers of the results of that investigation and of the rights of local citizens under the state law. If ten citizens of a town potentially affected by a site submit a request, DEQE would be required to develop a plan for involving the public in its cleanup decisions and present that plan at a public meeting. The chief municipal officer of a city or town in which a disposal site is located could appoint individual(s) to inspect the site on behalf of the community.

Massachusetts residents could bring lawsuits to enforce the provisions of the proposed law or to lessen a hazard related to oil or hazardous materials. If such a lawsuit is brought, a court could award costs, including reasonable fees for attorneys and expert witnesses.

QUESTION 5

Referendum on an Existing Law

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was approved by the House of Representatives on October 17, 1985, by a vote of 77-62, and which was approved by the Senate on October 17, 1985?

Yes_____

No_____

SUMMARY

The law requires all drivers and passengers to wear properly adjusted and fastened safety belts while traveling in motor vehicles on public ways. It does not apply to: children under five years old who are required by another law to wear safety belts or be restrained in safety car seats; passengers in vehicles where all safety belts are being used by others; passengers in buses; persons riding in vehicles built before July 1, 1966, or in which safety belts were not installed as original equipment; or persons who are certified by a physician to be physically unable to use safety belts. The law also does not apply to police officers, rural mail carriers, or drivers or passengers of other vehicles that stop frequently and travel at speeds not exceeding 15 miles per hour between stops.

Drivers or passengers sixteen years or older who do not wear safety belts are subject to a \$15.00 fine. The driver of a vehicle is also subject to a \$15.00 fine for each passenger under sixteen who does not wear a safety belt. This law, however, can be enforced only if the driver is stopped for a violation of another motor vehicle law. Safety belt violations will not result in surcharges on motor vehicle insurance premiums. The law also requires that when the Commissioner of Insurance sets motor vehicle insurance rates, the rates must reflect any savings attributable to increased use of safety belts.

The law also requires that all motor vehicles manufactured after September 1, 1989, that are sold or registered in Massachusetts be equipped with crash protection devices, as specified by federal regulations. Any manufacturer who sells or delivers motor vehicles that are not equipped with such safety devices will be subject to a fine of not more than \$100.00 for each sale or delivery. This law is not intended to eliminate the federal requirements for passive crash protection devices in motor vehicles.

The law also provides that a non-binding question, unlike this binding referendum, shall be placed on the 1986 general election ballot asking whether the voters approve of the law.

QUESTION 6

Law Proposed by Initiative Petition

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was disapproved by the House of Representatives on May 6, 1986, by a vote of 56-93, and on which no vote was taken by the Senate before May 7, 1986?

Yes _____

No _____

Summary

The proposed law would provide a system of voter registration by mail applicable to all qualified voters and would eliminate statutory provisions permitting certain persons to vote only for presidential electors.

Under this proposed law, the State Secretary would be required to prepare blank forms for affidavits of registration. The Secretary and local boards of registrars would be required to make such forms available to any person eligible to vote in whatever quantity the person requests and to transmit such forms, upon written request, to any person claiming to be qualified to vote. Registrars would also be required to make these forms available at all post offices and at other places within their municipalities. The Secretary would be required to establish a reasonable fee for providing more than 50 forms and to prepare instructions to accompany the forms.

A person seeking to register to vote would be required to complete the affidavit of registration and sign it under oath in the presence of a witness who is at least eighteen years old. The witness would be required to certify that the affidavit was signed in his presence and to date the affidavit.

A completed affidavit of registration could be either delivered or mailed to the appropriate registrar's office. If, from the facts set forth in the affidavit, it appears that the person is qualified to vote, the registrars would be required to add the person's name to the list of registered voters and to so notify the person by first-class, non-forwardable mail, unless the person's name already appears on the local list of residents at the same address. The cost of mailing such notices would be assumed by the Commonwealth, subject to appropriation. If in any year the General Court fails to appropriate funds for that purpose, such notices would not have to be sent. If such a notice is returned undelivered, the city or town clerk would be required to instruct election officials to challenge the person's right to vote at the next election in which he attempts to vote.

The proposed law would also impose criminal penalties of imprisonment for up to two years or a fine up to \$2,000. for knowingly or willfully making a false affidavit, taking a false oath, or signing a false certificate relative to the qualifications or registration of any person to vote.

QUESTION 7

This Question is Nonbinding

Shall the Commonwealth of Massachusetts urge the United States Congress to enact a national health program which:

provides high quality comprehensive personal health care including preventive, curative and occupational health services; is universal in coverage, community controlled, rationally organized, equitably financed, with no out-of-pocket charges, is sensitive to the particular health needs of all, and is efficient in containing its cost; and whose yearly expenditure does not exceed the proportion of the Gross National Product spent on health care in the immediately preceding fiscal year?

Yes _____

No _____

QUESTION 8

This Question is Nonbinding

Shall the Commonwealth of Massachusetts urge the President of the United States and the United States Congress to enact a national acid rain control program which would require a fifty percent reduction in total national sulfur dioxide emissions by the near nineteen hundred and ninety-five and which would allocate the required reductions in sulfur dioxide emissions, and the cost of achieving those reductions, equitably among the states?

POLLS WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting; one copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 27th day of October A.D. 1986.

Robert E. Caron, Jr.

Robert R. Kelly

Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.

Selectmen of Mendon

A true copy, attest:

Edgar J. Cram, Constable of Mendon

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

Mendon, October 27, 1986

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and publishing as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Edgar J. Cram, Constable of Mendon

Red'd. October 27, 1986 RME

Roseanna M. Elliot, Town Clerk

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the polls were declared open at 7:00 A.M. The oath of office was administered, the ballot box was inspected and the assignment of the election workers was properly administered by the Warden Joanne Goodnow. The following served as day workers for this State Election: Lucille Martin, Florence Smith, Teresa Bosma, Rita Cutler, Louise Dautrich, Donald Consoletti, and Dorothy Mantoni.

Relieving these people at 5:00 P.M. was Lois Taylor, Mary Ames, Mary Dean, Margaret J. Kelley, Helen McIlwain, Peggy Stewart, and Pauline Johnson.

The Police Officers on duty were William McClintock from 7:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. and Edgar Cram from 5:00 P.M. until the election results were read at 11:55 P.M. Total ballots cast 1,061.

The results of the November 4, 1986 State Election were as follows:

GOVERNOR - LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Dukakis and Murphy	602
Kariotis and Nikitas	412
Blanks	47

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Edward F. Harrington	503
James M. Shannon	483
Blanks	75

SECRETARY OF STATE

Michael Joseph Connolly	603
Deborah R. Cochran	385
Blanks	73

TREASURER

Robert Q. Crane	510
L. Joyce Hampers	467
Blanks	84

AUDITOR

A. Joseph DeNucci	530
William "Bill" Robinson	422
Blanks	109

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

Joseph D. Early	778
Blanks	283

COUNCILLOR

James D. O'Brien, Jr.	652
Blanks	409

SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT

Louis P. Bertonazzi	794
Blanks	267

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

Richard T. Moore	759
Paul J. Kelley	236
Blanks	66

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

John J. Conte	689
Blanks	372

SHERIFF	
John M. Flynn	559
Alexander C. Stowe	366
Blanks	136
COUNTY COMMISSIONER	
Francis J. Holloway	645
Blanks	416
WORCESTER COUNTY CHARTER COMMISSIONER	
Kenneth Taylor	1
Christopher Noonan	1
Ardel Creedon	1
Robert R. Kelly	1
Walter Butler	1
Blanks	1,056
QUESTION A	
Yes	443
No	335
Blanks	283
QUESTION 1	
Yes	402
No	607
Blanks	52
QUESTION 2	
Yes	214
No	805
Blanks	42
QUESTION 3	
Yes	562
No	415
Blanks	84
QUESTION 4	
Yes	719
No	239
Blanks	103
QUESTION 5	
Yes	374
No	658
Blanks	29
QUESTION 6	
Yes	285
No	676
Blanks	100

QUESTION 7

Yes	600
No	359
Blanks	102

QUESTION 8

Yes	777
No	174
Blanks	110

The following people served as counters following the closing of the polls at 8:00 P.M. in addition to the people who come in at 5:00 P.M.: Stuart Appleby, Anne Ries, Peg Phipps, Marion Cochran, Peg Tetreault, Lorna Rhodes, Catherine Portanova, Linda Varney, and Eileen Dunlavey. Shirley Barnes and Madeline Taft were the Total Tally Keepers.

The results were read at 11:55 P.M. and the warrant was dissolved at 12:10 A.M.
Roseanna M. Elliot, Town Clerk

TOWN WARRANT
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

TO THE CONSTABLE of the TOWN of MENDON in the COUNTY OF WORCESTER,
Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the TOWN HALL in said Mendon on MONDAY the 17th day of NOVEMBER A.D. 1986 punctually at 7:30 o'clock P.M., to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for design/architect fees and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, from the Stabilization Fund or other available funds in the Treasury, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 7, Paragraph 5.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the Medicare Account and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or other available funds in the Treasury.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the town will vote to pay an unpaid bill of a prior year, the money to be taken from available funds.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the town will vote to accept an equal educational opportunity grant for the fiscal year 1987 in the amount of \$149,669.00 under the provisions of G.L. Chapter 70A, Section 5, as inserted by Chapter 188 of the Acts of 1985. Said grant shall be paid by the Commonwealth to and expended by the Blackstone Valley Vocational Regional School District committee for direct services expenditures.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting; one copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of thie warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 3rd day of November A.D. 1986.

Robert E. Caron, Jr.
Robert R. Kelly
Frederic J. Kelley

Selectmen of Mendon

A true copy attest:

Mark P. Bucchino, Constable of Mendon

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

Mendon, November 3, 1986

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and publishing as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Mark P. Bucchino, Constable of Mendon

Received and filed November 3, 1986

Roseanna M. Elliot, Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING: November 17, 1986

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the Moderator Rolland J. Morin, Jr. called the meeting to order at 7:30 P.M. The Town Clerk noted that the warrant is duly published and served. The Moderator dispenses with the reading of the warrant, and called a 5 minute recess to allow voters to enter the hall and for the Finance Committee to finish up on their meeting. It was explained that the articles would be acted on out of order as Article One was expected to need more explanation and would have more discussion to it, this it was acted on last. The following people were to enter the hall but were not registered voters: Linda Kearsley of the Milford Daily News, Rick Holmes of the Middlesex News, Charles Gangas resident but not registered. The rest of this list is Mendon Police Officers who live out of Mendon: Ernest Horn, Sandra Channing, Mark Bucchino, Michael Pasacane, and Robert Andreola. The meeting began at 7:35 P.M. Officer Robert Klein in attendance.

FINANCE COMMITTEE MOTIONS:

ARTICLE 2. Voted that the Town appropriate \$1,000.00 for the Medicare account.
UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE 7:40 P.M.

ARTICLE 3. Voted that the Town take from available funds \$42.06 to pay an unpaid bill of a prior year.
UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE 7:42 P.M.

ARTICLE 4. Voted that the Town accept an Equal Educational Opportunity Grant for the fiscal year 1987 in the amount of \$149,669.00 under the provisions of General Law, Chapter 70A, Section 5, as inserted by Chapter 188 of the Acts of 1985. Said Grant shall be paid by the Commonwealth to and expended by the Blackstone Valley Vocational Regional School District Committee for direct services and expenditures.
UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE 7:45 P.M.

SELECTMEN’S ARTICLE:

ARTICLE 1. Voted that the Town transfer the sum of \$75,000.00 from free cash for design/architect fees associated with construction of a building or buildings on land owned by the Town on Providence Street and related existing town building alterations. **MAJORITY HAND COUNTED VOTE. 30 Yes, 26 No.**

Motion made and seconded to dissolve the warrant 8:15 P.M. Joanne Goodnow and Anne E. Ries tellers, Robert Klein Police Officer on duty. 65 voters in attendance.

Roseanna M. Elliot, Town Clerk

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

1986 was a very busy year in the Town Clerk’s office. 583 dogs were licensed, 8% over last year’s figures. \$2,211.50 was collected and turned into the Treasury for dog license fees with \$633.00 of this in late fees. \$1,327.50 was submitted to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Fish and Game Department for hunting and fishing licenses. Miscellaneous fees (selling Zoning Books, ZBA application fees, street lists, maps, etc.) turned into the Treasury totaled \$530.50. Town Clerk fees totaled \$2,677.10.

September brought the State Primary to Town, but with not much interest; it brought less than 10% of the voters to the polls. The November state election was a little busier with approximately 57% of the voters making their voices heard.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of those people who have helped me in my brief time as your Town Clerk. I will miss this position and the townspeople past and present who have made this job so interesting and diversified.

I’d like to extend a special thanks to the Board of Registrars, Fred Magee, Marion Reed, Shirley Phipps, the Election Warden, Joanne Goodnow, all the poll workers, counters and town meeting tellers, for without your assistance the elections and Town Meeting could not be held.

Respectfully submitted,

Roseanna M. Elliot, Town Clerk

VITAL STATISTICS

1986 BIRTHS

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
January		
5	Karen Evelyn Deshaies	Paul David Deshaies Barbara Louise Partridge Deshaies
7	Carly Rachel Kempton	Russell William Kempton Carey Colgan Schmertz Kempton

February		
3	Lauren Ann Flaherty	Philip Thomas Flaherty Jacqueline Anne Wade Flaherty
March		
4	Meredith Patrice Bohne	Robert Donald Bohne Nancy Beth Kiriluk Bohne
8	Kerry Michele Dupuis	Michael John Dupuis Carolyn Claire Durand Dupuis
28	Brittney Ann Bishop	Joseph A. Bishop Cynthia Gail Ronan Bishop
31	Gregory William Vincent	William A. Vincent Margaret M. LeBlanc Vincent
April		
6	Brian Ronald Spindel	Ronald Roger Spindel Shirley White Spindel
25	Devin Christopher Murphy	Barry Philip Murphy Cynthia Kathleen McKay Murphy
May		
3	Thomas Neary Dunn	Thomas Francis Dunn, Jr. Joanna Elizabeth Neary Dunn
16	Stefan Graeme Carlson	Theodore Edwin Carlson Victoria Anne Purdy Carlson
25	Molly Beth Tycks	Bruce John Tycks Nancy Grace Hackenson Tycks
June		
2	Michael Anthony Sarcione	Richard Raymond Sarcione Cynthia Ann Cullinane Sarcione
July		
7	Lauren Elizabeth Dudley	Russell Francis Dudley Anne Dorothy LeMarbre Dudley
21	Katherine Mary Beauchamp	James Joseph Beauchamp Mary Margaret McLeod Beauchamp
25	Kyle Joseph Lesniewski	Russel Stanley Lesniewski Cheryl Ann Donadio Lesniewski
August		
23	Benjamin John Vitalini	William Joseph Vitalini Lisa Frances Arata Vitalini
September		
1	Robert Bruce Jamieson, III	Robert Bruce Jamieson, Jr. Jane Elizabeth Sisco Jamieson
5	Margaret Mary Bertram	John Veitch Bertram Susan Jane DeLorenzo Bertram

9	Katie Margaret Hackenson	Thomas Michael Hackenson Katheryn Bernice Guertin Hackenson
9	Alexander Robert Freidah	James Joseph Freidah Sara Lynn Nisbtlinger Freidah
14	Courtney Lee Howarth	George Andrew Howarth Sandra Lee Gifford Howarth
28	Matthew Joseph Boczanowski	Joseph Earl Boczanowski Carla Ann Dolce Boczanowski
29	Timothy Davis Moroney	Paul Joseph Moroney Barbara Ellen Eldridge Moroney
October		
14	Maria Catherine DiCicco	Robert James DiCicco Judith Jeanne Jamieson DiCicco
November		
22	Jaimie Eliza Rousseau	John Charles Rousseau Norma Eunice Tarr Rousseau
December		
31	Jessica Ann Partlow	Eric Wayne Partlow Patricia Marie Milani Partlow

MARRIAGES

Date	Place	Names	Residence
January			
5	Mendon	Steven Niedzialkoski Karen Gauthier	Mendon Mendon
18	Mendon	Marc Forcier Sherry Elaine Felch	Woonsocket, RI Woonsocket, RI
25	Mendon	Ronald Lewis Hughes Debra Susan Dykstra	Whitinsville Whitinsville
February			
1	Mendon	Thomas E. Blackburn Penelope Pearson	Elkins, N.H. Elkins, N.H.
8	Mendon	Thomas Eric Klein Dawn M. Surels	Mendon Bellingham
March			
22	Bellingham	William Joseph McClintock Diane Marie D'Alessandro	Mendon Mendon
April			
5	Milford	Peter J. Gibson Judy A. Newcomb	Mendon Milford

May			
11	Mendon	Micheal Legge LeeAnna Hazel	Mendon Mendon
24	Mendon	Mark K. Baldiga Dawn L. Ebbeling	Mendon Mendon
June			
14	Mendon	Michael Louis Merolli Jeannine Diane Ricard	Mendon Blackstone
14	Mendon	William Joseph Lansley Mary Louise Higgins	Mendon Mendon
14	Mendon	Edwin O'Grady Jacqueline Tougas	Mendon Mendon
14	Milford	Robert Paul Frazier Ellen Kay Townsend	Gloucester Mendon
28	Milford	James Matthew Spencer Lorraine Adams	Rochester, N.H. Rochester, N.H.
July			
19	Upton	James B. Lutz Carolyn A. Thompson	Mendon Mendon
25	Mendon	Robert R. Wheeler Maryevelyn Newcombe	Southington, CT Southington, CT
August			
23	Mendon	Robert B. Burns Amy J. Taylor	Milford Milford
September			
13	Milford	Daniel R. Dalio Victoria H. Germagian	Mendon Mendon
20	Mendon	Richard L. Follis, Jr. Diane Elizabeth Moriggi	Mendon Mendon
21	Mendon	Robert O. Kaplan Elizabeth Anne Hanlon	Mendon Mendon
October			
10	Northbridge	William J. Fennelly Karen Berith Walleston	Mendon Mendon
November			
8	Milford	Henry J. Bouchard, Jr. Patricia A. Lally	Mendon Milford
8	Mendon	Marcel St. Germain Elizabeth Dunlavey	N. Smithfield, RI Mendon

December

27 Mendon

Robert E. Renaud

Mary E. Niro

Milford

Milford

DEATHS

Date	Name	Date of Birth
January		
9	Hazeltine, T, D'Arcangelo	April 18, 1931
19	Gertrude Florence Ferrari	July 10, 1903
25	Earl William Rogers	September 2, 1929
29	Donald Earl Coburn	August 2, 1933
March		
13	Thressa H. Wright	January 24, 1905
24	Christine Guidi	September 19, 1899
24	Doris M. Quirk	May 13, 1927
April		
1	George Chester Cadman	February 6, 1884
May		
1	Harold Edward Ries	January 4, 1914
June		
30	Aram A. Lamothe	April 8, 1909
July		
10	John W. Ingham	June 9, 1909
26	Robert D. Bartlett	March 24, 1912
26	Joan Bertha Senecal	May 23, 1936
September		
13	William Hutcheons	January 18, 1908
23	Maude A. Clough	December 20, 1899
October		
24	Mary Webster Fallon	May 20, 1907
December		
16	Florence Helen Barrows	December 24, 1895
29	Oscar DuQuesnay	April 13, 1895

Due to a delayed recording

1985 DEATH

September

17 Lucy M. Kempton

July 10, 1895

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of the Town of Mendon:

The following is a record of the Mendon Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1986.

Illegal Burning.....	9
Brush.....	8
Permit out of Control.....	5
Investigations.....	4
Motor Vehicle Accidents.....	9
Chimney.....	5
Furnace.....	1
Structure.....	2
Vehicle Fires.....	5
Electrical.....	4
Stove.....	2
Dumpster.....	1
Lawn Mower.....	2
Ice Rescue.....	2
Bomb Scare.....	6
False Alarms.....	9
Mutual Aid.....	3
Gas & Oil Spills.....	4
Water Emergency.....	1
Check on Hazardous Waste.....	1

Firefighters received training and recertification in C.P.R. and First Responder courses.

Many thanks to the residents in the town for their efforts regarding Fire Prevention. The department had a substantial decrease in the number of calls in 1986 even though the town has a marked increase in population.

During the year of 1986, a total of 1033 permits to burn were issued. A state law governs the burning season which extends from January 15th to April 30th. A permit which is issued at the discretion of the Fire Chief, must be obtained each day. — Call 473-3434 —

“Smokey the Bear” visited the Henry P. Clough School during Fire Prevention week much to the delight of the students.

The Mendon Fire Department gratefully acknowledges the support and cooperation of Town Officials, Town Departments, especially the Police and Highway Departments throughout 1986.

Respectfully submitted,

Wesley C. Shattuck
Fire Chief

REPORT OF PARK DEPARTMENT

The Town Beach opened with a new Beach Director and a new Recreation Director. Debbie D'Alessandro, who has an extensive background in directing waterfront activities, served as the Beach Director. Mary Morgan, who has worked in community recreation and coaching, served as the Recreation Director.

The swimming program had 255 children enrolled in the two sessions offered and was coordinated with the recreation program to accommodate any children in between lessons. The recreation program was well received by both children and parents.

The construction of the tennis and basketball courts was started in the fall, but due to weather problems, should be ready by late spring. These facilities should greatly enhance the overall recreation program for children and adults within the community.

The Park Department has an on-going five year plan to expand and develop the areas of the Town Beach and Memorial Field. The Department is also pursuing other avenues of acquiring recreational lands to meet the needs of the growing community.

Respectfully submitted,

Dave Weatherbee
James Grant
Michael Sullivan

REPORT OF CONSERVATION COMMISSION

In the year 1986, the Mendon Conservation Commission worked with several building projects under the Wetlands Protection Act. The law applies to any proposed filling, dredging, altering or removing within one hundred feet of wetlands and land designated as one hundred year floodplain. For each of the following projects, a notice of intent was filed, a public hearing was held, and an order of conditions was issued to regulate the work.

Lot 15 on Northbridge Road — Rose Tree Inc.
Lot 4 on Northbridge Road — Forest Park Associates
Right-of-way clearing — Boston Edison
Cramberry bog on Blackstone Street — Richard Hourihan
House lot on Hartford Ave East — Richard Armstrong
House lot on Lovell Street — C. & T. Builders
Lot 2A2 on Blackstone Street — Wayne and Debbie Whyte
Lot 6 on Asylum Street — Lawrence Cassie
House lot on Mowry Street — Steven Laczinski
House lot on Providence Street — William Hoisington
Detention basin at Wesley Estates Subdivision — Alfred Carboni
Parking lot extension on Cape Road, former Whitten Building —
Guy Dupont
Lot 9 at Colonial Estates — Alfred Carboni and Anthony Santucci
Pipeline on Bellingham Street — Bay State Gas
Pipeline on Route 16 — Commonwealth Gas
Lots 2, 3, and 4 on Millville Street, Woods Estates — J.F.I. Realty

Lots 2, 3, 5, 6, and 7 on Cemetery Street, Swandale Estates —
D. E. Stewart

Houselot on Blackstone Street — Michael Amendolio

Roadway off Northbridge Road — Subdivision — Forest Park Associates

Lots 5A and 6 on Asylum Street — A and A Tetreault

Lots 2, 3, and 4 on Carpenter Hill Road — Russell Santoro

House lot on Mowry Street — Hackenson Corporation

The Conservation Commission and Town Growth Committee sponsored a presentation by Jay Slattery of the Massachusetts Farm Bureau on January 23. Mr. Slattery spoke about various ways farmers could preserve their land rather than selling it to developers. Forty people attended the forum.

The selective cutting of hardwood timber continued at the Town Forest off Millville Road. The project was under the direction of the New England Forestry Service and carried out by Sabre Enterprises of Upton. The sale of this year's wood brought in approximately eighteen thousand dollars to the Town's general fund.

The Division of Waterways of the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Management started its project in December for the construction of a drop-box culvert at Meadow Brook, the outlet of Lake Nipmuc. The new culvert replaces an antiquated stone culvert which has been hindering the outflow of the lake. The project was initiated at the request of Selectman Fred Kelley and lakeside resident Edward Paradiso in 1978. Rep. Richard Moore obtained funds through the Massachusetts Legislature to pay for it.

The annual town cleanup was held in April. One hundred people worked to make Mendon's roadsides free of litter. The Commission expressed gratitude to Duane Nelson, the Mendon Police and Highway Departments, Bill Francis and N.E.W.S., Kimball Trucking and the Mendon Lion's Club for their help in making the event a successful one. Special thanks were expressed to the townspeople who drove vehicles and picked up litter.

Aquatic Control Technology Inc. of Northboro continued its annual weed maintenance program for Lake Nipmuc in June. The lake was closed for swimming, boating, and fishing for three days in accordance with state regulations.

The Commission honored two of its outgoing members for their years of service to the Town. F. Blaine Hawkes was presented a citation from the Massachusetts Legislature for his eighteen years as a member of the Conservation Commission. Grade Harde was presented a plaque in honor of her work of creating the nature trail at Nipmuc Woods. Grace and Blaine were very dedicated, hardworking, conservationists. Nancy Robertson and Joe Kirkpatrick were appointed by Selectmen to fill their positions.

John Parmentier of Dunn Engineering resigned as consulting engineer.

In 1986 Mendon's housing growth continued. Acres of woods, open space and farmland became house lots. In response to this growth, members of the Commission worked with members of other town boards to look into the creation of a conservation land trust in order that selective parcels might be preserved.

Ian O. Denton, *Chairman*

Richard Grady

James Kirkpatrick

Nancy Robertson

Dean Weigers

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

The Board of Health continues to be inundated with requests for services related to the increased level of building, both commercial and residential, which has continued to escalate over the past several years. The vast majority of the Board's time has been spent on the discussion and evaluation of major new subdivisions, each of which must be carefully considered due to the individual nature of water supplies and septic disposal methods for each building lot. In addition, a number of major issues were being handled in parallel by the Board, including the perpetual solid waste disposal issue, the various clinics initiated by the Board, and the increasing number of hazardous waste disposal questions.

Following is a summary of activities:

1. 65 Septic System Permits were approved.
2. 200 Deep Hole and Percolation Tests were witnessed.
3. A Choke Saver course was conducted by the Health Agent for all employees of food service operations, including those employed by the school department.
4. New, more comprehensive Well regulations were adopted, requiring determination of chemicals, volatile organics, minerals, and bacteria, as well as a minimum delivery of 3 gallons of water per minute.
5. A one-year contract was signed with Northeast Waste Systems for removal of solid waste at an annual cost of \$98,328.
6. The Board appointed Sandy and Larry Pearson as Animal Inspectors. It was unanimously agreed that the Pearsons are performing an excellent service for the Town.
7. The Gibson Septage Disposal Area was ordered closed by the State Department of Environmental Quality Engineering. This action was required by new State and Federal groundwater quality regulations. The Gibsons are now dumping in Worcester, which has forced a price increase.
8. The Health Agent answered approximately a dozen calls regarding hazardous waste spills.
9. New State regulations restricting the type of materials allowed in landfills resulted in a revision of the town's disposal regulations. The Board now is planning a special Hazardous Waste Day in the Spring for materials such as automobile parts, vinyl, petroleum products, etc.
10. The Board supported a number of programs such as the school immunization effort, flu and blood pressure clinics for the elderly, the rabies clinic, and the Valley Adult Counseling program.

Respectfully submitted,

William W. Butler
Barbara J. Gilmore
Valerie R. Vincent

BELLINGHAM STREET

NONE

BLACKSTONE STREET

Robert Fagan	5 sheep
Richard Hourihan	4 horses
Karleen Lunnah	4 horses (some boarders)
Leonard Mellen	3 horses (owned by Fred Kelley)
Dale Pleau	2 horses

John Potter	2 horses
Grace Rooney	14 horses (some boarders)

CAPE ROAD

Donald Keller	2 swine
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GEORGE STREET

James Brennan	1 horse
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HARTFORD AVENUE WEST

Donna Cote	12 goats
Peter Scott	2 horses
Nancy Palmer	1 horse, 3 ponies

LOVELL STREET

Dennis Tetreault	None
Cornelius Vandervalk	None
Mr. Despasquale	1 horse, 1 pony

MAIN STREET

Shelly Vincent	1 dairy, 16 beef, 1 horse
John Collins	No more animals

MILLVILLE ROAD

Jane Armstrong	1 horse
Clarence Bagley	4 dairy
John Claflin	1 horse
(Fred) Kelley Green Acres	20 horses
K. Kristoferson	2 beef
Richard Ferruci	2 horses, 1 pony
David Lowell	1 horse, 1 pony
Rolf Rhodes	75 sheep
Ed Shroeder	3 horses
Richard Stevens	5 horses (some boarders)

MISCOE ROAD

Robert Erickson	1 pony
Milton McCrum	12 beef

MOREY STREET

Nick DiLegge	1 horse, 1 pony
Max Grady	1 horse
Jean Rogers	1 horse, 1 pony
Steve Shangram	2 beef

ANIMAL INSPECTORS REPORT

BATES STREET

Brian Hastings	5 horses, 1 pony
Erik Suby	no more animals
Varney Bros.	92 beef, 2 sheep, 1 horse, 2 ponies, 2 donkeys
Dr. Holly McLaughlin-	
Fabricotti	1 swine
Mr. Santusso	2 sheep, 2 horses, 1 pony

NORTH AVENUE

Connie Beal	2 horses
William and Margaret Hood	1 horse, 1 pony
Karen O'Brien	1 dairy, 4 sheep
Linda Palumbo	1 horse, 1 pony
Russ Phipps	3 beef
Mike Travers	4 goats, 1 horse, 4 ponies
James Vandersluis	58 dairy

NORTHBRIDGE ROAD

Jane Bishoff	3 horses
Donald Lee	1 goat, 1 horse

PARK STREET

James Ruhan	1 horse
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PLEASANT STREET

Peter Hawkes	195 dairy, 4 beef, 2 horses, 1 pony
Paul Starett	175 swine

PROVIDENCE ROAD

Ann Adams	2 goats, 2 horses
David Denenberg	1 beef
Bernie Galbneriani	4 horses
William Hoisington	1 pony
Donald Rocks	1 pony
Shirley Smith	1 horse
Jack Vinson	10 beef, 2 horses

QUISSET ROAD

Sandra Pearson	18 beef, 1 dairy, 1 swine, 1 horse, 1 pony
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THAYER ROAD

Ian Denton	5 beef
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THORTON STREET

Pat Conforti	1 horse
Austin LaBastie	2 beef, 1 horse, 2 ponies
William Rogers	12 dairy

SANDRA CIRCLE

Joan Morse	1 horse
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UXBRIDGE ROAD

Betty Barbour	2 horses
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WASHINGTON STRET

Donald Belleville	2 horses
Fran Wojnoski	1 horse

Respectfully submitted,

Larry & Sandra Pearson

REPORT OF HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Mendon:

I hereby submit a report of the Highway Department for 1986.

TYPE I HOT TOP

Northbridge Rd.	A 1½" Top course was applied from West Hill Rd. 5000' East to North Ave.
Millville Road	From Rt. 16 to Kinsley Lane a 3000' x 1½" Top course was applied.
Myrtle Street	A 2" Top course was applied to the entire length.
Inman Hill Road	A 2" Top course was also applied to the entire 2000' length.

NEW DRAINAGE

New Pipe and Catch Basins were installed on the following streets.

Asylum Street	30' of 28" x 42", 100' x 12"
Northbridge	1100' x 12" and 4 Catch Basins
Washington	220' x 12" and 1 Catch Basin
Hartford Ave. East	60' of 18"

Asylum Street Reconstruction

The Highway Department worked a total of 20 days with hired Contractors to reconstruct 3500' of this road. The work involved blasting, excavating, new drainage and 2000 yds. of gravel to make this area safe to travel.

Respectfully submitted.

Francis Irons
Highway Surveyor

REPORT OF PLANNING BOARD

The Planning Board received more applications for subdivision approval this year than ever before. There were 8 plans submitted and many long hours of planning and discussion were required. The plans submitted, the number of lots proposed and the status of subdivisions are:

Hillview Estates, Millville Road, submitted and withdrawn
Crestview Estates, George Street, 38 lots, denied
Wesley Estates, between Milville Road and Blackstone Street (old airport), 35 lots, approved
Forest Park Estates, Northbridge Road, 52 lots, approved
Prudential View Estates, North Avenue, 4 lots, approved
Mendon on the Charles, Cape Road, 4 lots, approved
Woods Estates, Millville Road, 35 lots, pending
Swandale Estates, Cemetery Street, 7 lots, pending

When the subdivisions are completed, there will be approximately 4½ miles of new roads added to the Town of Mendon.

There were also thirty 81P plans submitted for review. These are plans which do not require subdivision approval.

The Board also used the new "site plan review process" for the first time when plans were submitted for the mini-mall to be located on the site of the old airport at the corner of Hastings Street and Millville Road. As a result of the process, the Board set forth requirements that made the proposed center safer and more attractive for the people of Mendon.

The Board has also been working on proposed revisions for the "Rules and Regulations Governing the Subdivision of Land" and zoning regulations which will be presented at the annual Town Meeting.

As you can see, this has been an extremely busy year for the Planning Board. We will continue in the future, as we have in the past, to keep the best interests of the townspeople of Mendon in mind.

Respectfully submitted,

James Ruhan, *Chairman*
Peter I. Denton
Norman I. Rogers
John Robertson
John O'Brien

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of the Town of Mendon:

The following is a record of the Mendon Police Department and its activities for the year ending December 31, 1986.

Complaints.....	1,646
Information Calls.....	11,750
Summons Served.....	115
Restraining Orders.....	13
Motor Vehicle Accidents.....	292
Motor Vehicle Fatalities.....	0
Personal Injury — M.V.....	53
Property Damage — M.V.....	87
Motor Vehicle Citations.....	1,563
Warnings.....	153
Civil.....	1,107
Criminal Complaints.....	93
Arrests.....	210
Aid to Motorists.....	85
Aid to Out of Town Police.....	305
Stolen Motor Vehicles.....	10
Stolen Motor Vehicles Recovered.....	9
Operator Licenses Suspended.....	27
Breaking and Enterings Investigated.....	25
Larcenies Investigated.....	49

Assault and Battery Investigated.....	3
Bomb scare.....	6
Domestic Problems.....	16
Missing Persons.....	5
Deaths Investigated by Medical Examiner.....	4
Persons Transported.....	195
Alarms.....	257
Doors and Windows Open.....	82
Hospital Runs.....	10
Medical Emergencies.....	85
Loose Animal Complaints.....	14
Disabled Motor Vehicles.....	246
Runaways.....	2
Bank Escorts.....	16
Malicious Destruction of Property.....	91
Court Appearances by Officers.....	358
District.....	301
Superior.....	26
Juvenile.....	31
Total Number of Court Defendants.....	981
Checkerboard Alerts.....	3
Funeral Escorts.....	12
Stolen Bicycles.....	3
Stolen Bicycles Recovered.....	2
Intoxilyzer Tests (alcohol).....	206
Intoxilyzer Test Refusals.....	43
Firearm I.D. Cards Issued.....	37
Pistol Permits Issued.....	47
Arrests.....	416
Narcotics.....	16
B&E.....	1
Larceny.....	4
Juveniles.....	30
Oper. Under Influence.....	125
Incapacitated Persons.....	124
A&B.....	3
Warrant Arrests.....	48
Poss. of Alcohol.....	52
Other.....	43
GRAND TOTAL.....	21,419

COMPLAINT — Someone notifies the Police Department and expresses dissatisfaction or discontent over a particular situation. The Police respond to a certain location, in a Police cruiser, and try to settle the matter.

INFORMATION — This could be anything from general information to a matter where Police must take action. These are log entries of fact, to make other Police Officers aware of potential problems they may encounter.

Total Cash Value of Goods Stolen.....	\$87,990.00
Total Cash Value of Goods Recovered.....	\$54,931.00

Pistol Permits, FID Cards, Insurance Reports.....	\$ 1,304.00
Motor Vehicle Fines from District Court.....	\$45,570.00
Answering Service Police Calls.....	4966

On May 12, 1986 Dennis P. Grady was named Police Chief of the Mendon Police Department. J. Martin Auty was named Lieutenant, and Philip G. Dunlavey was named Sergeant.

There were three new Patrolmen added to the Mendon Police Department in 1986. Officers Mark Bucchino, Ernest Horn, and Michael Sutton were named to the full time positions.

There were three new Reserve Patrolmen named to the Mendon Police Department in 1986. Officers David Shane, Michael Merolli, and William McClintock were named after completing a seven month Inservice Training program.

Linda LaBastie was named secretary to the Mendon Police Department, and is now working a nineteen hour week.

Lisa Mottola was appointed crossing guard by the Board of Selectmen and began her duties in December of 1986.

Regretfully, we received two resignations in 1986. Officer Paul LaPierre left to join the Franklin Police Department. Reserve Officer Mary Ames retired after many years of service. Both of these fine officers will be sadly missed.

Lieutenant J. Martin Auty completed a six-day program for Instructor Certification — Trainer I at Massachusetts Criminal Justice Training Center at Southboro, and a two-day program in Advanced Field Sobriety Testing at Massachusetts Criminal Justice Training Center at Framingham.

Officer Michael Pasacane completed courses in the following: Controlled Substance and Paraphernalia Recognition, Police Traffic Radar Operator, Advanced Field Sobriety Testing, Interview and Interrogation Techniques, Handcuffing Techniques, and Monadnock PR-24.

Officer Ernest Horn began a fourteen week Basic Recruit Training Program at the Massachusetts Criminal Justice Training Center at Foxboro.

Seven Mendon Police officers were certified by the Massachusetts Criminal Justice Training Council in the use of the Intoxilyzer 5000, for breath testing.

Four Reserve officers completed a six-week Reserve Inservice Training Program at the South Suburban Police Institute at Foxboro.

Ten Reserve officers completed a fourteen-week Basic Reserve Training Program at the South Suburban Police Institute at Foxboro.

All officers received training and recertification in C.P.R. taught by American Red Cross Instructor, Mark Bucchino.

All officers qualified in weapons training taught by Massachusetts Criminal Justice Training Council and officer Paul LaPierre.

The Mendon Police Department received new equipment in 1986. We added a new communications system that is state of the art. New General Electric programable radios are in each cruiser and a new base station enables us to talk directly with Blackstone, Upton, Milford, Bellingham, and Ruggierios Ambulance. We also purchased a new portable radio and a radar for use with the cruisers.

Valley Vans of Uxbridge Rd. was added as a towing agent for the Town of Mendon.

Our officers continue to educate themselves and are among the highest skilled and well trained officers in the Commonwealth. If you have a problem that requires police attention you can feel confident in your police that they will handle your concern with professionalism, accuracy, and understanding.

It has been my pleasure to work with all of the town departments. We have all worked as one unit for the betterment of our community. I thank all the officers for doing their job so well and for making our police department second to none.

Respectfully submitted,

Chief Dennis P. Grady
Mendon Police Department

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

The circulation of books for FY 1986 (177 days) was 3,540. Circulation by classes was as follows: Fiction 1,250; magazines 635; juvenile 979; biography 77; history and travel 148; literature and fine arts 137; science and useful arts 215; all others 99.

During the year, 759 new books were added as gifts or purchased from town and trust funds, including many large print editions.

The Central Massachusetts Library System makes films, VCR tapes, filmstrips, large print and regular books available to us. The bookmobile calls every six weeks, the large print van every six to eight weeks and the regular van weekly.

The Friends of the Library have purchased membership in the Harvard Museums for our patrons. Tickets are available at Danny's.

The Librarian's Assistant, Mrs. Patricia Dwyer, left us after many years of service. We have acquired the excellent assistance of Mrs. Lauren Cullen.

Respectfully,

Lorna Rhodes
Librarian

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Renovation of the lower level of the Taft Library was begun in the fall of 1986 and is expected to be completed by the summer of 1987. The major portion of the carpentry and electrical work has been done by students from the Blackstone Valley Vocational Regional High School as a part of their training program. When completed, this additional space will nearly double the size of the library and will provide handicap access to the library. A smaller, more efficient furnace has been installed as well as a fire and burglar alarm system.

Other maintenance work on the library included repair of a leak in the roof, addition of a floor in the attic area for storage space, and purchase of storm windows for the attic and lower level.

In August, the trustees regretfully accepted the resignation of Pat Dwyer, a library assistant for many years. Her position was filled by Lauren Cullen from Uxbridge.

In order to fulfill a state requirement, a book selection policy has been adopted by the trustees as well as a procedure for reconsideration of library materials in question.

Respectfully submitted,

Al Wilshire, *Chairman*
Paul Garagliano, *Treasurer*
Carole Baptiste, *Secretary*
David Crisafulli
Robert Caron
Fred Peronti

REPORT OF COUNCIL ON AGING

During the year 1986 appointments to the Council on Aging included Richard Ferrucci and Madeline Taft. Helen Salvia was also appointed coordinator.

The Council is providing a well organized transportation arrangement; an on-going surplus food distribution for eligible Mendon residents; meals-on-wheels program and also provides some social activities.

The Council would like to take this opportunity to thank the following for their generosity over the past year: Mendon Police Association, The Mendon Board of Selectmen, the Mendon Lions Club, Mr. & Mrs. James Ferrucci, The Mendon-Upton Band Boosters Club, The Mendon-Upton Regional School District, and anyone who has helped in any way.

We would also like to thank Lillian Burnat for outstanding support as coordinator of Mendon Council on Aging.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard Ferrucci, *President*
Madeline Taft, *Secretary*
Peggy Phipps, *Treasurer*

REPORT OF HOUSING AUTHORITY

The Mendon Housing Authority has 2 programs. At Sunrise Apartments we have 30 units under Chapter 667, state-aided low rent housing for the elderly. Under Chapter 707 Rental Assistance for low income families we have two certificates.

To be eligible for admission the net income limits are as follows:

One person	\$15,232
Two people	17,408
Three people	19,584
Four people	21,760

Net assets should not exceed \$15,000 or one and one-half times the net income, whichever is greater.

Board members hold their regular monthly meeting on the third Tuesday of the month at 7:30 P.M. in the Community Building at the Sunrise Apartments. The an-

nual meeting is held on the third Tuesday in May. The following is a list of board members:

Chairman	Peter I. Denton 39 Thayer Rd. Mendon, MA Term expires May 1989
Vice-Chairman	Howard Miller 6 Hastings Street Mendon, MA Term expires May 1990
Treasurer	David B. Lowell 40 Millville Rd. Mendon, MA Term expires May 1988
Ass't. Treasurer	Joseph F. Bradley 28 Maple Street Mendon, MA Term expires May 1991
State Appointee	Position vacant

A new corral fence was installed this year, four exterior doors were replaced, and the alarm system was updated.

We have had only one vacancy this year at Sunrise.

Mendon Housing Authority was awarded \$120,000 in Modernization funds by the state Executive Office of Communities and Development (EOCD). The money will be used for various projects at Sunrise, including expansion of the parking area.

A resignation was accepted from Mrs. Florence Smith, our state-appointee, whose term expired August 26, 1986. The Authority members wish to thank her for her years of service.

The Authority would also like to express its gratitude to all who have extended their services to the tenants at Sunrise Apartments in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret Tetreault
Executive Director

INCOME AND EXPENSE
Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1986

Shelter Rent	\$42,993
Interest on Investments	2,798
Other Receipts	754
Total Receipts	<hr/> \$46,545

EXPENSES

Administrative Salary	\$ 3,342
Accounting Service	1,000
Other Admin. Expenses	1,200
Travel	505
Maintenance Labor	7,666
Maintenance Materials	1,868

Maintenance Contracts	2,886
Insurance	2,148
Employee Benefits	12
Utilities	15,986
Total Expenses	\$36,613
Residual Receipts	9,932
	<u>\$46,545</u>

REPORT OF BUILDING COMMISSIONER

Permits issued during the year 1986 are as follows:

New Homes.....	52
Alterations & Repairs.....	26
Decks, Porches & Screened Porches.....	9
Additions.....	21
Sheds & Barns.....	15
Pools.....	14
Garages.....	12
Demolition.....	2
New Commercial Bldgs.....	4
Temporary Structures.....	2
Solar.....	1
Dike Repair.....	1
Foundations.....	4
Wood Stove/Furnace/or Chimney.....	19
Total Permits Issued.....	182

Sixteen Certificates of Inspection were issued during the year. Sign Permits were approved for eight applications. A total of \$21,884.00 was turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas D. Hackenson
Building Commissioner

REPORT OF PLUMBING INSPECTOR

During the year 1986 there were a total of eighty-nine plumbing (89) permits issued. Sixty-one of these were for new construction. The sum of \$4,192.00 was turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert J. Rossetti
Plumbing Inspector

REPORT OF GAS INSPECTOR

During the year 1986 there were a total of nine (9) gas permits issued. A total of \$176.00 was collected and turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Residents are reminded that if there is any type of work performed on their gas installations or appliances in which lines are disconnected and then reconnected, such work **MUST** be done by a licensed gas installer and a permit **MUST** be obtained for same.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert J. Rossetti
Plumbing Inspector

REPORT OF WIRING INSPECTOR

During the year 1986 there were a total of one hundred and forty (140) issued.
Serial Numbers 786-926 inclusive

Value of Permits	\$4,665.00	This amount was turned over to the Town Treasurer.
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Respectfully submitted,

Walter J. Butler, Jr.
Wiring Inspector

PROCLAMATION

August 16, 1986 — Mendon Senior Citizen Day

- whereas:* elders age sixty and over constitute 17.5% of the population in Massachusetts, and
- whereas:* The American dream includes a belief in self-reliance, a respected place in the community, and independence, and
- whereas:* elders have provided valuable models of character, talent, wisdom, knowledge, and ability which have enhanced and continue to greatly enhance our society, and
- whereas:* as the people and the communities of Massachusetts enter a new era rich in promise and of economic change and social challenge, elders are actively accepting new opportunities and challenges, and
- whereas:* the presence of 336 Councils of Aging, 223 senior centers, twenty-seven home care corporations, and 23 Area Agencies on Aging helps to forestall or minimize the need for institutionalization of Massachusetts elders, and
- whereas:* the principle of elders helping elders is essential to the maintenance of a life of elder independence,

now therefore, We, the Board of Selectmen of Mendon, Massachusetts, do hereby proclaim August 16, 1986 as "Mendon Senior Citizen Day."

Robert E. Caron, Jr., *Chairman*
Robert R. Kelly
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

TO THE CITIZENS OF MENDON

We would like to report to you some of the highlights of the calendar year 1986.

In the beginning of the year, the Conway School of Design met with the Selectmen to discuss the land use design for the "Morrison Property" on Providence Road.

The Board invited Senator Bertonazzi and Representative Moore to attend their meeting to inquire about any possible funding for the proposed new building or buildings. The Board was told by Moore that there were not funds available for this purpose. There will be funds for the reconstruction of the Hartford Avenue East Bridge. We were also informed that construction would begin on Hartford Avenue West this year.

Selectmen met with a group of citizens from Hartford Avenue East concerned over the proposed commercial complex in Hopedale that would exit and enter into a residential street in Mendon. Board informed them they would consult with Town Counsel as to legality to do this. At a later date, Town Counsel informed Board that in his opinion a Judge would not allow someone to be land-locked regardless of the zoning. This was the only access they have to enter and exit their land.

The Library Trustees presented the Board with proposed capital improvements for the library and the Selectmen wholeheartedly approved these improvement.

Both Commonwealth Gas and Bay State Gas were granted permits to install lines in Mendon along Rt. 16 and Bellingham St. Citizens who desired to tie into gas lines along these routes would be permitted to do so without charge.

A public meeting was held at the request of a group of citizens concerned with bringing town water and sewerage to the town. The general consensus of the townspeople was not in favor of bringing these facilities into town.

The Board awarded the contract for an audit to Charles DiPesa of Boston.

Meeting held in upper town hall for citizens concerned with truck exclusion in Mendon. Majority of Board votes to exclude heavy trucking from Hartford Avenue East. At a later date we were informed by the DPW this was denied.

Applications were sought for Police Chief and 18 applications were received.

Conway School completes their design after many hours interviewing department heads as to the needs of the Town. All design and plans presented at a meeting to the general public and all in attendance were very pleased with the results. These plans were put on display at the annual town meeting and may be viewed in the corridors of the town hall at present.

Fred Kelley was re-elected and welcomed back on the Board. Robert Caron was elected as Chairman of the Board.

On May 12, 1986, the Board unanimously voted to appoint Lt. Dennis Grady as Chief, Sgt. Martin Auty to the rank of Lieutenant and Patrolman Dunlavey to the rank of Sergeant.

Three new police officers were appointed to serve our community: Officers Ernest Horn, Mark Bucchino and Michael Sutton. Michael Pasacane and Paul LaPierre left to join police forces in other towns.

A new phone system was installed in the Town Hall to better serve the public.

A contract was awarded to Luchs and Becherman to engineer construction of the Hartford Avenue East Bridge.

The Board, at the request of the Highway Surveyor and citizens opened a "brush dump" on Providence Road. It was opened two days a month from September to November 1st.

At a November town meeting, \$75,000. was appropriated for architectural costs for proposed new buildings on Providence Road.

The Board of Health met with the Selectmen concerning entering into a contract with the new Millbury incinerator. The Board agreed with the Board of Health that the town should be participants in this new state of the art incinerator, presently under construction in Millbury.

The Board accepted with much regret, the resignation of Walter Channing as Assessor due to his ill health. He gave many years to the Town and we speak for the people when we express our heartfelt thanks for his devoted service.

This Board has been committed to improve the salary and wages of the town employees and bring them into line with surrounding towns of our size and type.

We started with a salary and wage study and have continued for the last three years to update.

The Board envisions the coming year to be a very busy one and hopefully progressive one. We are a growing town and we have concerns for the issues facing a growing town. We hope to move forward on our plans for the proposed buildings, enter into a contract for computerizing the Assessors Office, Tax Collector and possibly Town Clerk's Office. We have issues of increased traffic, better roads and improved services to the town.

We would like to remind all our citizens that we need your help to make this a better community. We are always looking for volunteers to serve on the many boards and committees and, if not that, lend us some of your expertise in whatever capacity may be needed. We need your support, your comments, and even your criticism.

We wish to thank all the Board, Commissions, Public Official and Departments that work with us to make Mendon a better community in which to live.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert E. Caron, Jr., *Chairman* (Resigned)
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr. 1/20/87)
Robert R. Kelly
Board of Selectmen

REPORT OF HISTORICAL COMMISSION

To: The Mendon Board of Selectmen and citizens of the Town of Mendon
From: The Mendon Historical Commission
Re: Annual Report of the Mendon Historical Commission
Date: 2/4/87

The Mendon Historical Commission activities during the 1986 year are as follows:

- Participate in the site review process of the Commercial Building constructed by Currie Construction and located on Route 16 on the "Old Airport Land".
- Lent support to the initiative of the Blackstone Valley Heritage Homecoming, a thirteen town effort to promote economic revitalization by enhancing and highlighting the historic, cultural and architectural heritage of the Blackstone Valley Region.
- Investigate and disseminate information concerning the Scenic Roads Act. Seek the implementation of the Act as a planning technique to encourage retention of characters defining roadside features.
- Continue the inventory process of Mendon's historic and architecturally significant, buildings, structures, sites, objects, spaces, and environmental assets that possess a sense of integrity of location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feelings and association. The inventory consists of written and photographic documentation as well as supporting graphics and maps. Cooperation of town citizens and town officials are encouraged to bring to light historic materials that will assist the historical commission in their goals. All buildings built before 1950 are the focus of the study. Based on the findings, the town may decide that a National Register Historic District and/or local historic district are acceptable planning tools to retain character defining elements within certain areas of the town.

- The Commission was represented on The Regional Blackstone Valley Strategic Planning Group and local Strategic Planning Committee. Both groups were looking at alternative planning methods in order to preserve town character, manage town growth and insure affordable housing.
- In concert with the Mendon Planning Board and Center for Rural Massachusetts, the Mendon Historical Commission sponsored a series of seminars investigating growth management techniques available to rural communities. Topics included the following: Creative Land Development, Cluster Zoning, Performance Zoning, Affordable Housing, Local and National Register Historic Districts, Land Banks, Land Trusts and Retention of Rural Character.

The end result of the Historical Commission's activities is to encourage new development which is compatible with existing environment.

To foster a relatedness of character and a "sense of place" within the town.

Encourage sensitive thoughtful development that acts as a partner not a conqueror to its environs.

Insure that new development is compatible with the building and environment adjacent to them and that it contributes to the overall harmony of the street, village center or town.

The Historical Commission is pleased with last year's accomplishments and would like to thank all the town's citizens for their support.

Respectfully submitted,

R. Christopher Noonan, *Chairperson*

Members of the Commission are:

R. Christopher Noonan
 Janice Muldoon-Moors
 Jane Coleman
 Valerie Vincent
 Jack Ober

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 1986

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Town maintains its accounting records in accordance with practices prescribed by the Uniform Municipal Accounting System (UMAS) promulgated by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Revenue. The following is a summary of significant accounting policies.

(a) **Basis of Presentation** — The accompanying financial statements include the financial transactions of the Town of Mendon, Massachusetts.

(b) **Fund Accounting** — Financial transactions of the Town are recorded in the following funds or group of accounts:

General Fund — The General Fund is the general operating fund of the Town. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Special Revenue Funds — Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of special revenue sources (other than special assessments, expendable trusts, or major capital projects) that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

Trust Funds — Trust Funds are used to account for assets held by the Town in a trustee capacity for individuals, private organizations, other governments, and/or other funds.

(c) **Long-term Debt Group of Accounts** — Reflects the liabilities for long-term debt to be repaid in future years.

(d) **Basis of Accounting** — The accompanying financial statements have been prepared principally on the modified accrual basis under which expenditures are recorded when the liability is incurred and revenues are recognized in the period in which they become both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period.

(1) Real estate and personal property tax levies are recognized when they become available. Available means due or past due and receivable within the current period and collected within the current period or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Such time thereafter shall not exceed sixty days. A reserve for estimated abatements and exemptions is provided for in the levy. Revenues from the redemption of tax titles are credited directly to surplus revenue. No provision is made for possible uncollectible taxes.

(2) Disbursements for materials and supplies are recorded as expenditures rather than assets at the time of purchase. Prepayments are recorded as as expenditures at the time of payment and are not deferred or amortized. Interest is recognized when due and is not accrued over time. The repayment of long-term debt principle is recorded as an expenditure of the general fund.

(3) **Investments** — Investments are stated at cost which approximates market value.

- (4) **Fixed Assets** — The cost of general fixed assets is recorded as expenditures. The Town does not record the cost of general fixed assets in a General Fixed Assets Account Group.
- (5) **Restricted Fund Balance** — Included in fund balance in the general fund is restricted overlay surplus.
- This balance represents the unused portion of funds appropriated for tax abatements and exemptions in prior years. This surplus is available to fund extraordinary or unforeseen expenses upon vote by the town meeting.
- (6) **Accumulated Unpaid Sick Pay** — Accumulated unpaid sick pay is not accrued in the Governmental Fund or the Long-Term Debt Account Group. As of June 30, 1986, the Town could not reasonably estimate the probability of payment of accrued sick days and, therefore, could not reasonably estimate the related liability.
- (e) **Budgeting — GAAP Reporting Reconciliation** — Accounting principles applied for purposes of developing data on a budgetary basis differ from those used to present financial statements in conformity to generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). A reconciliation of budgetary-basis to GAAP-basis results is presented below:

General

Excess (Deficit) of revenues and other sources of financial resources over expenditures and other uses of financial resources (budgetary basis).	\$ 37,832
Adjustments:	
June 30, 1985 continued appropriations not budgeted as expenditures for year ended June 30, 1986.	(43,266)
June 30, 1986 continued appropriations budgeted as expenditures.	221,752
Adjustment of revenue to the modified accrual basis.	(3,644)
Fiscal Year 1986 transfer in — not budgeted.	<u>234</u>
Excess (Deficit) of revenues and other sources of financial resources over expenditures and other uses of financial resources (GAAP basis).	<u><u>\$212,908</u></u>

Massachusetts law does not require preparation of a budget for grants accounted for in the special revenue funds. Since such grants, other than Federal Revenue Sharing, are not budgeted, a budgetary comparison with actual results of operations is not presented.

- (f) **Pension Plan** — Under GAAP, annual pension expense is a measure of the future retirement benefits earned by employees during an accounting period. The Town currently contributes to the pension plan primarily on the basis of projected annual benefit payments for the year ("pay-as-you-go").

2. PENSION PLAN

Substantially all employees of the Town of Mendon except teachers and certain administrative personnel employed by the School Department, participate in the Worcester County Contributory Retirement System as established under Chapter 32 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Under this plan, the participants contribute a certain percentage of their compensation annually,

which amount is determined by their date of employment. These contributions are made to the Worcester County Contributory Retirement System. In addition, the Town contributes to the system an annual amount determined by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Division of Insurance primarily on the basis of projected annual benefit payment for the year ("pay-as-you-go").

There is no actuarial valuation of the Worcester County Contributory Retirement System available as of June 30, 1986 which would permit an estimation of the Town's share of the unfunded past service cost liability, the future pension costs of current participants in the plan and the amounts needed to fund such costs.

Teachers and certain administrative employees of the School Department participate in a contributory retirement plan administered by the Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement Board. The Town does not contribute to this plan.

3. UNDESIGNATED FUND BALANCE

In order to prepare the accompanying financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, certain budgetary surpluses and deficits, which would otherwise be reflected on the balance sheet under the Massachusetts Statutory System, have been included in undesignated fund balances as follows:

Surplus Revenue	\$ 336,170
Deficit Appropriations	(7,232)
	<u>\$ 328,938</u>

4. ENCUMBRANCES

The Town records encumbrances as Reservation of Fund Balance and the subsequent years' appropriations provide authority to complete these transactions as expenditures.

5. LONG-TERM DEBT

State law permits the Town under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 10, to authorize indebtedness up to a limit of 2.5% of its equalized valuation. Debt issued in accordance with this section of the law is designated as being "inside the debt limit". In addition, however, a Town may authorize debt in excess of that limit for specific purposes. Such debt, when issued, is designated as being "outside the debt limit". Details related to the Town of Mendon outstanding indebtedness at June 30, 1986 and its debt service requirements are presented in the long-term debt group of accounts financial statements.

6. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Town has been named a defendant in a number of lawsuits at June 30, 1986. In the opinion of the Town administration, the ultimate resolution of the legal actions will not result in a material loss to the Town.

To the Board of Selectmen
Town of Mendon
Mendon, MA 01756

Re: Auditor's Report on Exhibit

Our examination has been made primarily for the purpose of forming an opinion stated on pages 1 and 2 of this report. The data contained on page 19, although not considered necessary for a fair presentation of financial position, revenues and expenditures, and changes in fund balances, are presented as supplementary informa-

tion and have been subjected to tests and other auditing procedures applied in the examination of the basic financial statements. In our opinion, these data are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. DiPESA & CO.
Certified Public Accountants

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

January 1, 1986 – December 31, 1986

Balance January 1, 1986	\$ 257,540.82	
Less Investments	(257,097.87)	
Receipts During Year	<u>5,527,771.46</u>	
Sub Total	\$5,528,214.41	
Disbursements During Year		
Per Warrants	<u>(5,293,736.65)</u>	
Sub Total		\$234,477.76
Investments		<u>407,328.87</u>
Balance December 31, 1986		\$641,806.63
Bank Balance:		
Milford National Bank & Trust	\$ 251,847.28	
Less Outstanding Checks	<u>(17,369.52)</u>	
Adjusted Bank Balance-December 31, 1986		\$234,477.76
Investments		
Shawmut Worcester County Bank		
Highway Fund		29,538.00
Shawmut Worcester County Bank		361,117.68
Century Bank		5,421.78
Guaranty Bank & Trust		4,534.66
Municipal Depository Trust		<u>6,716.75</u>
Total – December 31, 1986		\$641,806.63

Note: The above Balance includes short-term borrowings of
\$300,000.00 Payable January 15, 1987
Interest on Loans \$13,135.17
Net Interest Income \$23,158.71

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS P. GUERRA

Town Treasurer & Collector

TRUST FUND REPORT

JUNE 30, 1986

ANNA ELLIS LIBRARY FUND

Balance — June 30, 1985	\$ 731.96	
Withdrawn July 1985	(250.00)	
Income during 1986	<u>46.39</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1986		\$ 528.35

AUSTIN FLETCHER LIBRARY FUND

Balance — June 30, 1985	\$ 7,314.17	
Withdrawn May 1986	(2,314.00)	
Income during 1986	<u>419.02</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1986		\$ 5,419.19

RACHAEL ANN BATES LOT — BICKNELL CEMETERY

Balance — June 30, 1985	\$ 641.17	
Withdrawn July 1985	(150.00)	
Income during 1986	<u>26.12</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1986		\$ 517.29

JOSEPH S. COX, JOSEPH BATES & JOHN S. COX LOTS BICKNELL CEMETERY

Balance — June 30, 1985	\$ 407.13	
Withdrawn July 1985	(150.00)	
Income during 1986	<u>13.85</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1986		\$ 270.98

ANNIE E. GASKILL LOT — BICKNELL CEMETERY

Balance — June 30, 1985	\$ 407.13	
Withdrawn July 1985	(150.00)	
Income during 1986	<u>13.85</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1986		\$ 270.98

ADRIEN & ELLEN J. (THAYER) SCOTT & MALCOLM D. & RITA D. (BARROWS) SCOTT CEMETERY

Balance — June 30, 1985	\$ 2,542.47	
Income during 1986	<u>145.77</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1986		\$ 2,688.24

MARCENE & HARRIET E. DANIELS – RELIEF FUND

Balance – June 30, 1985	\$ 13,112.24	
Withdrawn June 1986	(836.54)	
Income during 1986	<u>751.90</u>	
Balance – June 30, 1986		\$ 13,027.60

NATHAN R. GEORGE, JR. – RELIEF FUND

Balance – June 30, 1985	\$ 3,843.35	
Income during 1986	<u>220.39</u>	
Balance – June 30, 1986		\$ 4,063.74

AUSTIN WOOD – RELIEF FUND

Balance – June 30, 1985	\$ 3,497.41	
Income during 1986	<u>198.96</u>	
Balance – June 30, 1986		\$ 3,696.37

HOMER E. TOUGAS MEMORIAL HALLOWEEN FUND

June 30, 1985	\$ 403.93	
Withdrawn January 1986	(204.25)	
Income during 1986	<u>17.92</u>	
Balance – June 30, 1986		\$ 217.60

CONSERVATION

Balance – June 30, 1985	\$ 288.58	
Income during 1986	<u>15.11</u>	
Balance – June 30, 1986		\$ 303.69

STABILIZATION FUND

Balance – June 30, 1985	\$125,843.11	
Income during 1986	<u>29,881.58</u>	
Balance – June 30, 1986		\$155,724.69

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS P. GUERRA

Town Treasurer & Collector

**REPORT OF TREASURER
ON FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING
January 1, 1986 – December 31, 1986**

Balance – January 1, 1986	\$ 67,097.93	
Receipts During Year	43,930.00	
Interest on Investments	<u>4,058.01</u>	
Sub Total		\$ 115,085.94
Disbursements During Year		<u>(69,500.00)</u>
Balance – December 31, 1986		\$ 45,585.94

Bank Balance:

Shawmut Community Bank Savings Account	\$ <u>45,585.94</u>
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Total – December 31, 1986	\$ 45,585.94
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Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS P. GUERRA

Town Treasurer & Collector

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER/TOWN COLLECTOR

Financial Report of Fiscal Year July 1, 1985 – June 30, 1986

Appropriation		\$ 15,200.00
EXPENDED:		
Salary	\$ 9,500.00	
Association Meetings & Dues	646.70	
Treasurer/Collectors School	398.00	
Out of State Travel	.00	
Bonds	912.00	
Note Certification	40.00	
Postage	1,228.50	
Repairs to Office Equipment	376.10	
Office Supplies	714.79	
Telephone	328.14	
Petty Cash	.00	
Tax Bills	898.77	
Tax Taking	<u>115.00</u>	
Total Expended	\$ 15,158.00	
Unexpended	<u>42.00</u>	\$ 15,200.00
Collector's Fees	\$ 5,961.00	

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS P. GUERRA

Town Treasurer & Collector

REPORT OF THE TAX COLLECTOR

July 1, 1985 to June 30, 1986

	Taxes Outstanding 7/1/85	Commitments	Re- Commitments	Refunds	Over Payments Tax Title	Abatements	Interest	Collections	Uncollected 6/30/86
TAX LEVY 1975									
Motor Vehicle			3.85				.43	3.85	
TAX LEVY 1976									
Motor Vehicle			39.60				3.96	39.60	
TAX LEVY 1980									
Motor Vehicle			9.63				3.45	9.63	
TAX LEVY 1982									
Motor Vehicle	121.85		10.00			121.85	.60	10.00	
TAX LEVY 1983									
Motor Vehicle	738.42						2.89	145.23	593.19
TAX LEVY 1984									
Motor Vehicle	2,777.65	590.82		46.96		263.55	68.60	2,391.15	760.73
Personal Property 83-84	469.88					8.75	91.98	461.13	
Real Estate 83-84	17,407.81						3,314.32	17,407.81	
TAX LEVY 1985									
Motor Vehicle	18,939.40	50,400.96	90.31	1,596.15	12.50	2,883.30	295.76	65,676.07	2,479.95
Farm Animal									
Machinery & Equip.		1,120.20					2.53	576.20	544.00
Personal Property 84-85	3,293.89					26.70	169.88	3,225.36	41.83
Real Estate 84-85	114,327.11			714.11	1,819.16	2,166.59	6,691.42	94,711.20	16,344.27
Forest Land Chp. 61A	22.27						3.61	22.27	
TAX LEVY 1986									
Motor Vehicle		140,213.40		423.18	2.50	6,515.35	43.16	115,117.39	19,006.34
Personal Property 85-86		73,869.82				13.35	44.72	72,917.14	939.33
Real Estate 85-86		1,551,193.37		3,064.49	4,419.74	22,319.15	2,253.13	1,423,135.01	104,383.96
Forest Land Chp. 61A		27.25					4.87	27.25	
TOTALS	158,098.28	1,817,415.82	153.39	5,844.89	15.00	34,318.59	12,995.31	1,795,876.29	145,093.60

BALANCE SHEET – JUNE 30, 1986

ASSETS		LIABILITIES AND RESERVES	
Cash		Temporary Loans – Highway	\$ 16,420.00
General		Anticipation of Reimbursement	
Revenue Sharing	\$ 109,814.88		
Revenue Invested	48,685.38		
	589,721.13		
Accounts Receivable		Payroll deductions:	
Levy of 1985		Contributory Retirement System	1,776.95
Personal Property		State W/H Tax	2,226.00
Real Estate	41.83	Federal W/H Tax	2,921.00
	16,342.74	Health Insurance	967.24
Levy of 1986		Agency	
Personal Property	939.33	County Dog License	530.50
Real Estate	104,383.96	Police Dues	323.75
		Paid Detail	18.50
Motor Vehicle Excise			
Levy of 1983	593.19	Tailings	
Levy of 1984	760.68	Unclaimed checks	763.98
Levy of 1985	2,462.45	Trust Fund Income	
Levy of 1986	19,003.84	Cemetery Fund Income	1,176.20
Tax Titles and Possessions			
Tax Titles	15,425.10	Appropriation Balances	22,411.72
Tax Possessions	2,754.89	Warrants Payable	243,512.80
		General Carry Forwards	
Water		Reserved for Abatements and Exemptions	
Rates	429.97	1982	41,190.43
Aid to Highways	16,420.00	1983	38,735.69
Special Taxes		1984	39,391.29
Forest Land		1985	37,624.30
Farm Animal	27.24	1986	43,601.69
	544.00	Fund Balance Reserved for	
		Abatements and Exemption Surplus	13,114.93

Departmental	2,904.55	Revenue Reserved until Collected	22,820.16
Revenue Sharing	3,500.00	Motor Vehicle Excise	18,179.99
Provided for or overdrawn	.17	Tax Title & Possessions	429.97
Library Expense Account	55.00	Water	544.00
Council on Aging Expense Account	7,177.16	Farm Animal Revenue	27.24
Snow Removal Expense		Forest Land Revenue	2,904.55
		Veterans	336,170.02
		Fund Balance	1,554.00
		Library Aid	48,685.38
		Revenue Sharing PL-952512	626.65
		State Grant Arts & Humanities	472.00
		State Grant Right to Know	2,416.66
		Elderly Grants	450.00
		Cemetery Fund	
	<u>\$ 941,987.49</u>		<u>\$ 941,987.49</u>

AUDITORS REPORT — CHARLES E. DiPESA & CO.

COMBINED BALANCE SHEET — ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS JUNE 30, 1986

ASSETS

	Governmental Fund Types		Fiduciary Fund Types	Account Group	Totals (Memorandum Only)
	General	Special Revenue	Trust	General Long-Term Obligations	June 30, 1986
ASSETS					
Cash	\$109,815	\$ —	\$186,729	\$ —	\$ 296,544
Investments	589,721	49,192	—	—	638,913
Property Taxes Receivable	121,708	—	—	—	121,708
Accounts Receivable					
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	22,820	—	—	—	22,820
Water	430	—	—	—	430
Tax Liens	18,180	—	—	—	18,180
Departmental	19,896	—	—	—	19,896
Intergovernmental	—	10,625	—	—	10,625
Due From (To) Other Funds	(7,176)	5,550	1,626	—	—
Amounts to be Provided for Retirement of Long-Term Debt	—	—	—	49,680	49,680
TOTAL ASSETS	\$875,394	\$65,367	\$188,355	\$49,680	\$1,178,796

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

	Governmental Fund Types		Fiduciary Fund Types	Account Group	Totals (Memorandum Only)
	General	Special Revenue	Trust	General Long-Term Obligations	June 30, 1986
LIABILITIES					
Warrants and Accounts Payable	\$ 22,412	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 22,412
Payroll Withholdings	8,215	—	—	—	8,215
Other	2,331	—	—	—	2,331
Deferred Revenue	44,906	—	—	—	44,906
Temporary Loans	16,420	—	—	—	16,420
Reserve for Abatements & Exemptions	200,543	—	—	—	200,543
General Obligations	—	—	—	49,680	49,680
Bonds Payable	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$294,827	\$ —	\$ —	\$49,680	\$ 344,507
FUND BALANCES					
Unreserved					
Designated	\$238,514	\$65,367	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 303,881
Undesignated	328,938	—	—	—	328,938
Restricted Overlay Surplus	13,115	—	—	—	13,115
Expendable Trust Fund	—	—	177,346	—	177,346
Nonexpendable Trust Fund	—	—	11,009	—	11,009
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	\$580,567	\$65,367	\$188,355	\$ —	\$ 834,289
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$875,394	\$65,367	\$188,355	\$49,680	\$1,178,796

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
All Governmental Fund Types and Expendable Trust Fund
Year Ended June 30, 1986

	<u>Governmental Fund Types</u>		<u>Fiduciary</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>(Memorandum</u> <u>Only)</u>
	<u>General</u>	<u>Special</u> <u>Revenue</u>	<u>Fund Type</u> <u>Expendable</u> <u>Trust Fund</u>	
Revenues				
Property Taxes	\$1,555,485	\$ —	\$ —	\$1,555,485
State Aid and Reimbursements	318,518	—	—	318,518
Intergovernmental—Other	—	83,320	—	83,320
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes	181,327	—	—	181,327
Water	12,652	—	—	12,652
Investment Income	37,387	3,966	12,199	53,552
Departmental	165,811	33,744	—	199,555
Total Revenues	<u>2,271,180</u>	<u>121,030</u>	<u>12,199</u>	<u>2,404,409</u>
Expenditures				
General Government	248,645	27,800	—	276,445
Public Safety	296,513	33,729	—	330,242
Health and Sanitation	65,516	—	—	65,516
Highway	197,269	—	—	197,269
Human Services	6,845	4,295	1,286	12,426
Education	1,131,068	—	—	1,131,068
Culture and Recreation	34,349	1,297	2,518	38,164
Public Works	11,687	—	—	11,687
Debt Service	32,197	—	—	32,197
State and County Assessments	65,470	—	—	65,470
Total Expenditures	<u>2,089,559</u>	<u>67,121</u>	<u>3,804</u>	<u>2,160,484</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>181,621</u>	<u>53,909</u>	<u>8,395</u>	<u>243,925</u>

Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Operating Transfers In	51,287	—	20,000	71,287	
Operating Transfers Out	(20,000)	(51,054)	(233)	(71,287)	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>31,287</u>	<u>(51,054)</u>	<u>19,767</u>	<u>—</u>	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over Expenditures and Other Uses	212,908	2,855	28,162	243,925	
	<u>367,659</u>	<u>62,512</u>	<u>160,193</u>	<u>590,364</u>	
FUND BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$ 580,567	\$ 65,367	\$188,355	\$ 834,289	
FUND BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	<u><u> </u></u>	<u><u> </u></u>	<u><u> </u></u>	<u><u> </u></u>	

GENERAL FUND
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and
Changes in Fund Balances Budget
(Non-GAAP Basis) and Actual
Year Ended June 30, 1986

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variances Favorable (Unfavorable)</u>
Revenues			
Property Taxes	\$1,559,129	\$1,559,129	\$ —
State Aid and Reimbursements	293,981	318,518	24,537
Motor Vehicle	130,000	181,326	51,326
Investment Income	35,900	37,387	1,487
Water	11,000	12,652	1,652
Departmental	73,101	165,811	92,710
Total Revenues	<u>2,103,111</u>	<u>2,274,823</u>	<u>171,712</u>
Expenditures			
General Government	318,247	307,458	10,789
Public Safety	278,787	273,437	5,350
Health and Sanitation	65,730	65,516	214
Highway	331,645	337,634	(5,989)
Human Services	7,458	6,845	613
Education	1,133,068	1,133,068	—
Culture and Recreation	36,002	34,732	1,270
Public Works	12,320	11,687	633
Debt Service	32,724	32,197	527
State and County Assessments	65,471	65,471	—
Total Expenditures	<u>2,281,452</u>	<u>2,268,045</u>	<u>13,407</u>
Excess(Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>(178,341)</u>	<u>6,778</u>	<u>185,119</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses)			
Operating Transfers In	51,054	51,054	—
Operating Transfers Out	(20,000)	(20,000)	—
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>31,054</u>	<u>31,054</u>	<u>—</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Sources Over Expenditures and Other Uses	<u>\$ (147,287)</u>	<u>\$ 37,832</u>	<u>\$185,119</u>
Budgeted Transfers from General Fund — Fund Balance	<u><u>\$ 147,287</u></u>		

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SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS
Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures
and Changes in Fund Balances
Year Ended June 30, 1986

	<u>Federal Revenue Sharing</u>	<u>Federal and State Grants</u>	<u>Revolving Funds</u>	<u>Total</u>
Revenues				
Intergovernmental—Other	\$49,743	\$33,577	\$ —	\$ 83,320
Investment Income	3,966	—	—	3,966
Departmental	—	—	33,744	33,744
Total Revenues	<u>53,709</u>	<u>33,577</u>	<u>33,744</u>	<u>121,030</u>
Expenditures				
General Government	—	27,800	—	27,800
Culture and Recreation	—	1,297	—	1,297
Human Services	—	4,295	—	4,295
Public Safety	—	—	33,729	33,729
Total Expenditures	<u>—</u>	<u>33,392</u>	<u>33,729</u>	<u>67,121</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>53,709</u>	<u>185</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>53,909</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses)				
Operating Transfers In	—	—	—	—
Operating Transfers Out	(49,500)	(1,554)	—	(51,054)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>(49,500)</u>	<u>(1,554)</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>51,054</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over Expenditures and Other Uses	4,209	(1,369)	15	2,855
FUND BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>52,108</u>	<u>10,400</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>62,512</u>
FUND BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	<u>\$56,317</u>	<u>\$ 9,031</u>	<u>\$ 19</u>	<u>\$ 65,367</u>

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FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and
Changes in Fund Balance — Budget (GAAP Basis) and Actual
Year Ended June 30, 1986

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
Revenues			
Intergovernmental	\$ 49,743	\$ 49,743	\$ —
Investment Income	<u>—</u>	<u>3,966</u>	<u>3,966</u>
Total Revenues	<u>49,743</u>	<u>53,709</u>	<u>3,966</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>49,743</u>	<u>53,709</u>	<u>3,966</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses)			
Operating Transfers In	—	—	—
Operating Transfers Out	<u>(49,500)</u>	<u>(49,500)</u>	<u>—</u>
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>(49,500)</u>	<u>(49,500)</u>	<u>—</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Sources Over Expenditures	243	4,209	3,966
FUND BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>52,108</u>	<u>52,108</u>	<u>—</u>
FUND BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	<u><u>\$ 52,351</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 56,317</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 3,966</u></u>

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TRUST FUNDS

Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance Year Ended June 30, 1986

	In Custody of Treasurer				Total
	Cemetery Funds	Library Funds	Stabilization Funds	Relief and Other Funds	
Revenue					
Investment Income	\$ 666	\$ 447	\$ 9,882	\$ 1,204	\$ 12,199
Total Revenue	<u>666</u>	<u>447</u>	<u>9,882</u>	<u>1,204</u>	<u>12,199</u>
Expenditures					
Culture and Recreation	--	2,313	--	205	2,518
Human Services	450	--	--	836	1,286
Total Expenditures	<u>450</u>	<u>2,313</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>1,041</u>	<u>3,804</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	<u>216</u>	<u>(1,866)</u>	<u>9,882</u>	<u>163</u>	<u>8,395</u>
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Operating Transfers In	--	--	20,000	--	20,000
Operating Transfers Out	--	233	--	--	233
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>--</u>	<u>233</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>--</u>	<u>19,767</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over Expenditures and Other Uses	<u>216</u>	<u>(2,099)</u>	<u>29,882</u>	<u>163</u>	<u>28,162</u>
FUND BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>5,158</u>	<u>8,046</u>	<u>125,843</u>	<u>21,146</u>	<u>160,193</u>

FUND BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	\$ 5,374	\$ 5,947	\$155,725	\$21,309	\$188,355
EXPENDABLE TRUST FUNDS	\$ 4,074	\$ 447	\$155,725	\$17,100	\$177,346
NONEXPENDABLE TRUST FUNDS	1,300	5,500	—	4,209	11,009
TOTAL TRUST FUND	\$ 5,374	\$ 5,947	\$155,725	\$21,309	\$188,355

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LONG-TERM DEBT GROUP OF ACCOUNTS
STATEMENT OF LONG-TERM DEBT
JUNE 30, 1986

Description	Date of Issue	Date of Maturity	Original Principal Amount	Interest Rate	Amount Outstanding at June 30, 1986
Fire Truck	7/25/84	7/25/89	\$36,900	8.50%	\$29,520
Highway Truck	7/25/84	7/25/89	<u>25,200</u>	8.50%	<u>20,160</u>
TOTALS			<u>\$62,100</u>		<u>\$49,680</u>

LONG-TERM DEBT GROUP OF ACCOUNTS
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN LONG-TERM DEBT
JUNE 30, 1986

BONDS PAYABLE AT JULY 1, 1985	\$62,100
Bond Additions	—
Bonds Retired	<u>(12,420)</u>
BONDS PAYABLE AT JUNE 30, 1986	<u>\$49,680</u>

LONG-TERM DEBT GROUP OF ACCOUNTS
OUTSTANDING DEBT SERVICE
JUNE 30, 1986

For the Year Ending	Fire Truck	Highway Truck	Total Principal	Interest	Debt Services
1987	\$ 7,380	\$ 5,040	\$12,420	\$ 1,056	\$13,476
1988	7,380	5,040	12,420	1,056	13,476
1989	7,380	5,040	12,420	1,056	13,476
1990	<u>7,380</u>	<u>5,040</u>	<u>12,420</u>	<u>1,056</u>	<u>13,476</u>
TOTALS	<u>\$29,520</u>	<u>\$20,160</u>	<u>\$49,680</u>	<u>\$ 4,224</u>	<u>\$53,904</u>

GENERAL FUND
SCHEDULE OF TAXES RECEIVABLE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1986

	Uncollected Taxes July 1, 1985	Commitments	Less Abate- ments and Adjustments	Less Trans- fers to Tax Lien Accounts	Less Net Collections	Uncollected Taxes June 30, 1986
REAL ESTATE						
1984	\$ 17,408	\$ —	\$ 292	\$ —	\$ 17,116	\$ —
1985	113,926	—	67	1,819	95,697	16,343
1986	—	1,551,193	24,138	4,420	1,418,251	104,384
	<u>131,334</u>	<u>1,551,193</u>	<u>24,497</u>	<u>6,239</u>	<u>1,531,064</u>	<u>120,727</u>
PERSONAL PROPERTY						
1984	470	—	9	—	461	—
1985	3,294	—	27	—	3,225	42
1986	—	73,870	13	—	72,918	939
	<u>3,764</u>	<u>73,870</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>76,604</u>	<u>981</u>
TOTAL PROPERTY TAXES RECEIVABLE	<u>\$ 135,098</u>	<u>\$1,625,063</u>	<u>\$ 24,546</u>	<u>\$ 6,239</u>	<u>\$1,607,668</u>	<u>\$ 121,708</u>
MOTOR VEHICLES						
Prior Years	\$ 860	\$ 57	\$ 122	\$ —	\$ 202	\$ 593
1984	2,778	591	264	—	2,344	761
1985	18,939	50,091	3,047	—	63,521	2,462
1986	—	140,213	9,291	—	111,918	19,004
	<u>—</u>	<u>140,213</u>	<u>9,291</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>111,918</u>	<u>19,004</u>
TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLE TAXES RECEIVABLE	<u>\$ 22,577</u>	<u>\$ 190,952</u>	<u>\$ 12,724</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 177,985</u>	<u>\$ 22,820</u>

**ANNUAL REPORT
of the
MENDON-UPTON REGIONAL
SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE**

Year ending December 31, 1986

ORGANIZATION — SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mr. William C. Young, <i>Chairman/Treasurer</i>	Term expires 1988
Mr. Brian Hastings, <i>Vice Chairman</i>	Term expires 1987
Mrs. Joy DiLegge, <i>Secretary</i>	Term expires 1989
Mr. Frederick J. Pironti	Term expires 1988
Mrs. Joan Scribner	Term expires 1989
Mr. Donald Troast	Term expires 1987

SUPERINTENDENT

David A Crisafulli, Ed.D. \$54,600.00

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE

Mrs. Anne R. Fagnant (part-time)	\$5.62/hr.
Mrs. Helen L. LaRose, <i>Asst. Treasurer/Financial Secretary</i>	18,400.00
Mrs. Edith M. Lebel	
<i>Executive Secretary to the Superintendent</i>	\$18,750.00

NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Anthony H. Gulla, Jr., <i>Principal</i>	\$43,278.00
Mr. Allan J. Byrne, <i>Assistant Principal</i>	\$42,275.50

MISCOE HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL

Mr. William Milligan, <i>Principal</i>	\$41,312.70
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MEMORIAL AND HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL

Mr. Edward M. Soter, <i>Principal</i>	\$41,312.70
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HEALTH SERVICES

Christine W. Aussenheimer, M.D.	Mrs. Joyce Hoberg, R.N.	\$17,610.00
John P. Cocchiarella, M.D.	Mrs. Elvira Townsend, R.N.	\$17,610.00

SCHOOL DIRECTORY — 1986

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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Telephone 529-7729

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Executive Secretary: Mrs. Edith M. Lebel

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Mrs. Mary A. Morin, *Secretary*

\$14,123.00

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Telephone: 478-2241

Mrs. Lois J. Taylor, *Secretary*

\$14,123.00

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Edward M. Soter, *Principal*

Telephone: 529-6931 (Memorial)

473-1768 (Clough)

\$7,907.00 Mrs. Jerilyn L. Bason, *Secretary* — Memorial School

\$7,907.00 Mrs. Ruth O'Grady, *Secretary* — Henry P. Clough School

PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES

Mrs. Maryellen Gray, *Director*

Telephone: 529-7711

\$41,312.70

Mrs. Carolyn Barrows, *Secretary*

\$ 8,537.00

Mrs. Lori Corredora, *Health Education Specialist*

478-6150

\$20,691.00

Stephen Gressak — *Counselor*

478-6150

\$30,602.00

Gordon C. Merten — *Counselor*

478-6150

\$30,602.00

Jacquelyn H. Moore — *Guidance Aide*

\$ 5.00/hr.

Mrs. Joyce MacNaughton, *Secretary*

Mrs. Priscilla Arbuckle (speech)

Mrs. Veronica C. Ariel (speech)

Peter Baszner (resource)

Mrs. Jill Fisher (learning disabilities)

Mrs. Sandra Lajois (learning disabilities)

Mrs. Debbe L. Paille (aide)

Mrs. Karen A. Presbrey (resource)

Miss Lise Tancrell (language class)

Mrs. Joan Vigeant (learning disabilities)

Mrs. Ina Zibbell (resource)

FACULTY — NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

ALLARD, Jeffrey	Biology	\$25,457.00
AUGER, Richard	Music Coordination	\$26,463.00
AUSTIN, Heidi	Business Education	\$23,424.00
BASZNER, Peter	Special Education	\$25,894.00
BODNAR, Stephen	Science — Dept. Head	\$30,602.00
BOREK, Lauri	Physical Education	\$25,457.00
CILLEY, William	Physics	\$28,048.00
CLEMENTS, Michael	English	\$25,457.00
COURTMAN, Arthur	Social Studies	\$31,315.00
DANIS, Robert H.	I.A. Metals	\$24,365.00
DAVIDSON, An Marie	Aide — Federal Project	\$ 9,209.00
DiLEO, Nancy	Mathematics	\$13,236.56
DONATELLI, Cynthia	Computer	\$28,048.00
FABIAN, Karen	Foreign Languages	\$23,424.00
FERRUCCI, Beverly	Math — Dept. Head	\$31,315.00
GILBERT, Lucille	Business Ed. — Dept. Head	\$30,602.00
GRANT, James	Social Studies	\$25,457.00
GRESSAK, Stephen	Guidance	\$30602.00
HINGLEY, Judith	Business Education	\$21,599.00
LEAVER, William	Special Education	\$22,373.00
LUCIER, Eileen F.	English — Dept. Head	\$28,852.00
MALONEY, Paula	Home Economics	\$25,457.00
McGUINNESS, Gladys	Home Economics	\$19,820.00
MERTEN, Gordon	Guidance	\$30,602.00
MEOMARTINO, Robert	Physical Education	\$18,778.50
MILES, Martha	Mathematics	\$26,463.00
MOORE, Jacquelyn H.	Guidance — Aide	\$ 5.00/hr.
MURRAY, Arlene M.	Foreign Languages — D.H.	\$25,457.00
OLIVERI, Johanne	Team Chariperson	\$23,097.00
OLSON, Carl	Social Studies — Dept. Hd.	\$26,463.00
PAGE, Dennis	Physical Education	\$25,457.00
PAPADONIS, Paul	Art	\$21,521.00
PHIPPS, Wayne	English	\$25,457.00
ROBINSON, Richard	I.A. — Dept. Head	\$25,457.00
ROSE, Grenith	Social Studies	\$30,602.00
SMITH, Robert	Social Studies	\$30,602.00
SOJA, Kathleen	Mathematics	\$28,048.00
VENDETTUOLI, Mark	Power Shop	\$20,709.00
WARDEN, Jean	Mathematics	\$31,315.00
WEER, Joan	Special Ed. Aide	\$ 5.50/hr.
WILDE, Linda	English	\$31,315.00
PARKER, Carola A.	Library Aide	\$ 5.00/hr.
SMITH, Dorothy	Librarian	\$31,315.00

FACULTY — MISCOE HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL

ARBUCKLE, Priscilla	Speech/Lang.	\$28,048.00
AUSTIN, Bradley	Grade VII	\$25,457.00
BIANCHI, James	Music	\$ 8,707.50
BODNAR, Jane	Physical Education	\$23,424.00
CARON, Lynne	Resource	\$25,653.00
CLARKE, Katherine	Guidance	\$25,653.00
COSGRO, Diane	English	\$20,709.00
DiANTONIO, Patricia	Grade VI	\$23,424.00
FISHER, Jill	REsource	\$20,709.00
GRADY, John	Grade VIII	\$25,457.00
GRADY, Richard	Grade VI	\$28,048.00
GRANT, Diane	Grade VII	\$22,373.00
HURLBURT, Mary	Grade V	\$25,457.00
KEELER, Beverly	Grade VII	\$30,602.00
LEBLANC, Mary	Federal Project	\$23,097.00
LOEPER, Lorraine	Home Economics	\$21,599.99
MALLOY, Daniel	Grade V	\$28,852.00
McROBERTS, Michele	Art	\$22,184.00
MOREL, Henry	Music — Dept. Head	\$28,048.00
MURPHY, Harold	Grade VII	\$28,852.00
NIGRO, Robert	Physical Education	\$25,457.00
NYDAM, Dianne	Grade V	\$19,820.00
OLDFIELD, Frederick	Resource/Aide	\$ 5.50/hr.
PORTER, Janet	Grade VIII	\$23,424.00
PRESBREY, Karen	Aide	\$17,415.00
RASMUSSEN, Lowell	Industrial Arts	\$26,630.00
RHODES, Kathleen	Grade VII	\$18,987.00
RHODES, Lorna	Grade VII	\$25,457.00
ROBERTSON, Cynthia	Gifted & Talented	\$18,852.00
SILVA, Judith	Grade VI	\$19,820.00
STEAD, Barbara	Aide	\$ 5.50/hr.
TOLAND, Barbara	Vocal Music	\$25,457.00
VACCARO, Mary	Grade VII	\$20,709.00
VILLA, Louis	\$Grade VIII	\$20,709.00
WEATHERBEE, Janice	Grade V	\$21,599.00
ZIBELL Ina	Resource	\$22,184.00
BURKE, Barbara E.	Librarian	\$10,799.50
PATTERSON, Deborah	Library Aide	\$ 5.00/hr.

FACULTY — MEMORIAL SCHOOL

BARROWS, Carolyn	Sped Secretary	\$ 8,537.00
BAGGESEN Barbara	Grade I	\$25,457.00
BURRELL, Joan	Kindergarten	\$26,463.00
CRAIB, Katherine	Grade III	\$25,457.00
DANFORTH, Ruth	Grade I	\$26,994.00
FORD, Elaine	Grade IV — Head Teacher	\$28,048.00
HARRISON, Deborah	Special Education	\$17,761.00
GALLAGHER, Madeline	Grade III	\$25,457.00
KOTTIS, Mary	Grade IV	\$25,457.00
LANG, Judith	Art	\$11,392.00
LAUDON, Bonnie	Psychologist/Federal	\$ 9,935.10
MATTSON, Donna	Guidance	\$24,013.00
PAILLE, Debbe	Aide	\$ 5.00/hr.
PERRY, Janice	Kindergarten	\$20,353.00
PORTER, Elaine	Grade II	\$25,457.00
SADLER, Hazel	Kindergarten Aide	\$ 7,885.00
SEARLE, Linda	Special Education	\$17,761.00
VIGEANT, Joan	Learning Disabilities	\$28,048.00
WIRTH, Susan	Chapter I	\$12,147.50
WRIGHT, Carolyn	Grade II	\$26,463.00
BURKE, Barbara E.	Librarian	\$ 5,399.75
RAKITAN, Eileen	Library Aide	\$ 5.00/hr.
TOWNSEND, Elvira	School Nurse	\$ 8,805.00

FACULTY — HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL

ARIEL, Veronica	Speech	\$24,927.00
CARNEGIE, Patricia	Aide	\$ 6,778.45
ESPANET, Anita	Grade III	\$25,457.00
EVANS, Diane	Grade I	\$25,457.00
FOUGERE, Harriett	Grade IV	\$25,457.00
GAULIN, Barbara	Kindergarten Aide	\$ 5.00/hr.
GRADY, Martha	Grade III	\$25,457.00
GUTTERMAN, Anne	Grade II	\$28,048.00
HACKENSON, Dorothy	Kindergarten Aide	\$ 7,885.00
HART, Beverly	Kindergarten	\$16,631.00
HOWARTH, Naomi	Grade II	\$28,852.00
KARNILA, Patricia	Chapter I	\$11,147.50
LAJOIE, Sandra	Learning Disabilities	\$25,457.00
LUNMAH, Karleen	Special Education	\$ 6.6/hr.
MICHAUD, Stephanie	Aide	\$ 5.00/hr.
MIELINSKI, Donna	Aide	\$ 5.00/hr.
PEARLMAN, Paula	Grade IV	\$25,457.00
PIGGOT, Paula	Grade IV	\$25,457.00
PULKKINEN, Diane	Aide/general	\$ 5.00/hr.
RAY, Sandra	Remedial Reading/Hd. Tch.	\$25,457.00

TANCRELL, Lise	Language Class	\$21,521.00
BURKE, Barbara E.	Librarian	\$ 5,399.75
RAKITAN, Eileen	Library Aide	\$ 5.00/hr.
TOWNSEND, Elvira	School Nurse	\$ 8,805.00

CUSTODIANS

NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

AGOSTINELLI, Richard	\$14,185.60
KINNECOME, Willard	\$ 5.60/hr.
NIRO, Enrico	\$18,514.20
TWITCHELL, Philip	\$14,185.60
VINSON, Jack*	\$21,790.00
YONES, Eric	\$ 6.02/hr.

*Fireman/Engineer

MISCOE HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL

BURKE, Francis	\$16,330.20
HACKENSON, William	\$13,561.60

HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL

HAZARD, William	\$20,449.60
PHIPPS, Fred	\$ 5.30/hr.

MEMORIAL SCHOOL

JOHNSON, George	\$ 4.99/hr.
SPENCER, Howard	\$ 4.99/hr.
VACCARO, Charles	\$15,955.20
WOODIN, Robert	\$ 4.10/hr.

CAFETERIA

NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

BAXTER, Judith	\$ 5.51/hr.
BROCHUR, Theresa	\$ 5.51/hr.
BROWN, William	\$ 4.77/hr.
CRISAFULLI, Anne	\$ 8.50/hr.
DELOIA, Priscilla	\$ 5.16/hr.
DOE, Charlene	\$ 5.51/hr.
FIELDS, Susan, Manager	\$ 8,739.64
GILPATRICK, Bella	\$ 5.16/hr.
KING, Gladys	\$ 5.51/hr.
LECLAIRE, Arlene	\$ 5.27/hr.
MALEWICZ, Anne	\$ 5.51/hr.
STOKES, Gail	\$ 5.16/hr.

HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL

GARRETT, Myrtle, Manager	\$ 8,219.14
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MEMORIAL SCHOOL

HIXON, Gail, Manager	\$ 8,219.14
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SCHOOL CALENDAR

1986 - 1987

Fall Term, Fourteen Weeks:

Term begins Tuesday, August 26, 1986
Term ends Friday, December 19, 1986

Winter Term, Six Weeks:

Term begins Monday, January 5, 1987
Term ends Friday, February 13, 1987

Spring Term, Eight Weeks:

Term begins Monday, February 23, 1987
Term ends Friday, April 16, 1987

Summer Term, Seven Weeks:

Term begins Monday, April 27, 1987
Term ends Thursday, June 11, 1987

Holidays:

Labor Day	September 1, 1986
Columbus Day	October 11, 1986
Veterans' Day	November 11, 1986
Thanksgiving	November 27-28, 1986
Christmas and New Years	December 25, 1986-January 5, 1987
Martin Luther King Day	January 19, 1987
Washington's Birthday	February 16, 1987
Good Friday	April 17, 1987
Memorial Day	May 25, 1987

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Distribution of school attending children, residents of the Town of Mendon and the Town of Upton as of October 1, 1986 taken from school registers. The annual census will be taken during the month of January 1987, according to State Law.

	MENDON			UPTON		
	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
Kindergarten	25	27	52	29	22	51
Ungraded				1	3	4
Grade 1	22	29	51	36	26	62
Grade 2	28	21	49	18	20	38
Grade 3	35	26	61	31	17	48
Grade 4	29	26	55	28	20	48
			268			251
Grade 5	27	12	39	21	25	46
Grade 6	20	17	37	23	23	46
Grade 7	27	26	53	19	21	40
Grade 8	33	24	57	27	29	56
			186			188
Grade 9	13	20	33	15	23	38
Grade 10	16	23	39	19	29	48
Grade 11	21	29	50	19	23	42
Grade 12	19	32	51	19	19	38
			172			166
			MENDON			UPTON
Total number in public schools			627			605
Total Upton students in Mendon			- 6			+ 6
Total Mendon students in Upton			+ 1			- 1
			622			610
Total tuition-in students						1,232
Total state wards						2
Exchange student from Spain						4
Total number in vocational schools			28		42	1
						70

MENDON-UPTON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

To the Citizens of Mendon and Upton:

The Mendon-Upton Regional School District continues toward the goal of educational excellence for the students in both communities. The school district's efforts focused on curriculum development, examination of the school climate and the improvement of the district's educational facilities.

The main focus at Nipmuc High School was the implementation of a school effectiveness program. Last summer, trainers from the Research and Inservice Institute of Nashville Tennessee worked with staff and students during a three-day retreat in Vermont. The training helped students and staff develop a communications plan that enabled greater student participation into decisions affecting student life. The culmination of the retreat was the formation of the FAST Program (Faculty and Students Together) resulting in a number of activities that were jointly planned by students and staff. Emerging from the FAST program at Nipmuc have been positive perceptions of the school climate by students and faculty. This spring, consultants from RSI will be returning to collect data from students, staff, and parents as to their perceived attitudes toward the school and the progress of the school effectiveness program.

Curriculum improvements K-12 continued this year in social studies and science. After a review of these areas, new curriculum materials were approved and implemented. Each area developed a philosophy, skills, continuum, and a process for their evaluation. The district has, (within a three-year span), reviewed and purchased new material in all major disciplines on a K-12 basis. The curriculum development program enabled the district to provide students and staff with the most current educational materials. A defined process that enables staff to review, purchase, implement, and evaluate curriculum materials on a K-12 level now exists. The curriculum process has offered the district the opportunity to examine new curriculum trends and establish an ongoing curriculum process monitored by staff.

The State of Massachusetts funded a two-year staff development grant for local school districts. With the cooperation of the Mendon-Upton Teachers' Association some important staff development activities have taken place. At the close of school, teachers returned to work on various committees. These committees met to discuss a range of school issues dealing with student discipline, schedules, curriculum, and school life. In addition, during the summer teachers completed curriculum projects helping to raise program standards and they attended the school effectiveness program in Vermont.

Administration participated in a week long workshop on effective evaluation practices. The improvement of administrative evaluation skills has continued with state assistance from Horace Mann Scholar Grants. Staff members will be working closely with administration in order to examine the effective evaluation system introduced to administration. A major objective for both groups will be to review the effective evaluation practices in comparison to our present system. A recommendation will be submitted by the group as to the practicality of the effective evaluation process and adoption to our system.

The maintenance and improvement of facilities continues. A long-range capital improvement plan has been submitted by each principal. At Nipmuc High School, classroom walls have been added to separate some teaching areas, lockers have been refinished and hallway and room painting has taken place. Because of some inten-

sive projects needed at both elementary schools, a Building Facilities Committee has been activated to examine both sites, and provide the school committee with recommendations. Building repairs and future district growth are issues that will be addressed by the committee.

Last year we were still a district very much in transition. This year, we have turned the corner. The Nipmuc Guidance Student Profile sheet has provided us with important data about our students. Two years ago, the profile indicated 33% of our students sought employment from high school. Last year, the figure was only 11%. Two years ago, 55% of our students continued with their education (30%-40% to 4-year colleges; 20-25% to 2-year or specialty schools). This last year, 75% of our students sought higher education (50-55% to 4-year colleges; 25% to 2-year or specialty schools). The expectations of our young people have become clearly evident. The Mendon-Upton Regional School District has established goals to help our students prepare for future educational opportunities or to seek personal careers. The school committee and staff look forward to this challenge in order to provide quality educational programs for students at all levels.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian Hastings, *Chairman*

Joan Scribner (Mrs.), *Vice Chairman*

William C. Young, *Treasurer*

Joy DiLegge (Mrs.)

Frederick J. Pironti

Donald Troast

MENDON-UPTON REGIONAL SCHOOL
DISTRICT COMMITTEE

ADMINISTRATION

David A. Crisafulli, Ed.D. — *Superintendent*

Anthony H. Gulla, Jr., *Principal/Nipmuc*

William Milligan, *Principal/Miscoe Hill*

Edward M. Soter, *Elementary Principal*

Maryellen Gray, *Director/Pupil Personnel Services*

NIPMUC
REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL



*Twenty-sixth Annual
Commencement Exercises*
1986

WILHO FRIGARD GYMNASIUM

Saturday, May 31, 1986 1:00 p.m.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Naomi Ann Bulock
Michelle Rae Dean
Scott William Erickson
Susan Jane Ghelli
Cheryl Anne Grady
Paula Renee Greenlaw

Diane Rose Grillo
Rebecca Mae Hawkins
Jennifer L. Howarth
Tara Lynn Kearnan
Denise Marie Lajoie
Cathleen A. Lewinsky
Alice Renee Murray

Barbara Eunice Murray
Mary Kris Staffier
Kristin Lee Sylvester
Anne Marie Tysen
Amy Elizabeth Wirth
Andrea Tanya Zimon

GRADUATING CLASS

Daniel P. Anderson
Patricia Ball
Danielle Marie Bichard
Kimberly Ann Bishop
Sheila Jean Bjork
Sherry Anne Boudrot
*Naomi Ann Bulock
Robert Bernard Burns
Diane Alyce Cahill
*Lori Castellano
Tracey Lee Chapin
*Teresa Ann Clark
Steven Donald Cook
Steven Christopher Cote
Patrick Donald Davidson
Timothy G. Davidson
Kendra Jean Davis
*Michelle Rae Dean
Nicholas Joseph DiLegge, Jr.
Chasson W. Doe
Lauren Dowd
Paulette Lyn Drew
Todd Daniel Eaton
*Scott William Erickson
*Susan Jane Ghelli
*Cheryl Anne Grady
*Paula Renee Greenlaw

*Diane Rose Grillo
William Paul Grondin
Beth Ann Habbel
*Kathleen Patricia Hall
William J. Hanlon III
Ronald P. Hartford, Jr.
Karen Lisa Hasker
*Rebecca Mae Hawkins
William J. Hebb
Erik J. Heintz
Kara J. Higgins
*Debra Marie Hodgkins
*Jennifer L. Howarth
*Elizabeth Kathryn Jolly
*Tara Lynn Kearnan
Kristin Dawn Korengel
*Denise Marie Lajoie
Allen Steven Latimore
Jeffrey Arthur Leclair
*Cathleen A. Lewinsky
Lynn Ann Lument
*Peter Dennis Lupachini, Jr.
Michael A. Marcone
James Andrew McNamara
Jason P. McSweeney
*Kellie Ann Morin
Susan Elaine Murphy

*Alice Renee Murray
*Barbara Eunice Murray
Rhonda Carol Nelson
*Christine Susan Parker
Jennifer Anne Pavia
Paul Michael Pironti
Cynthia A. Rogers
Robert Wilfred Roy, Jr.
Jesus Ballesteros San Vicente
Christine Marie Schreiber
Darlene L. Slavin
*Mary Kris Staffier
*Kristin Lee Sylvester
Megan E. Taft
Robert John Tassone
Sheri Rae Thibeault
*Debra Jean Timpany
*Anne Marie Tysen
Tammy Sue Valis
*Jason Eric Vanling
Robert V. Wallen II
*Amy Elizabeth Wirth
*Heather A. Wood
Kristen Marie Woodin
Ginger Lee Milo-Yost
*Andrea Tanya Zimon

*Academic Honor Achievement — B Average or Better for Four Years

PROGRAM

*Processional.....	High School Band
*Invocation.....	Rev. James Hensley <i>United Parish of Upton</i>
*National Anthem.....	All Present
Address of Welcome.....	Cheryl Grady
Essay.....	Rebecca Hawkins
“Yesterday Is but Toady’s Memory, and Tomorrow Is Today’s Dream.”	
Selection.....	Peter Lupachini, Jr.
“Somewhere”	
Leonard Bernstein	
Essay.....	Darlene Slavin
“Measuring Success”	
Selection.....	Kellie Morin
“Greatest Love of All”	
Michael Masser	
Essay.....	Susan Ghelli
“As Our Dreams Become Our Memories”	
Remarks.....	David A. Crisafulli, Ed.D. <i>Superintendent of Schools</i>
Presentation of Class Gift.....	Amy Wirth
Presentation of Awards.....	Anthony H. Gulla, Jr. <i>Principal</i>
Presentation of Diplomas.....	Brian R. Hastings <i>Chairperson, School Committee</i>
*Benediction.....	Pastor David Rogers <i>First Baptist Church, Mendon</i>
*Recessional.....	High School Band
<i>Director of Band</i>	Richard Auger
Marshal.....	Roland Roche <i>Junior Class President</i>
*Audience Standing	

CLASS OFFICERS

President.....	Cheryl Grady
Vice President.....	Amy Wirth
Secretary.....	Jennifer Howarth
Treasurer.....	Mary Staffier

CLASS ADVISORS

Kathleen Soja — Peter Baszner

CLASS MOTTO

“Yesterday Is but Today’s Memory, and Tomorrow Is Today’s Dream.”

CLASS COLORS

Blue and Silver

CLASS FLOWER

White Rose

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Brian R. Hastings, *Chairperson*

Mrs. Joan M. Scribner, *Vice Chairperson*

Mrs. Joy J. DiLegge

Donald P. Troast

Frederick J. Pironti

William C. Young

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

David A. Crisafulli, Ed.D.

SCHOOL FACULTY

Anthony H. Gulla, Jr., *Principal*

Allan J. Byrne, *Assistant Principal*

Jeffrey Allard

Richard Auger

Heidi Austin

Peter Baszner

Stephen Bodnar

Margy Capuano

William Cilley

Michael Clements

Lori Corredora

Arthur Courtman

Robert Danis

Cynthia Donatelli

Kathleen Fabian

Beverly Ferrucci

Lucille Gilbert

James Grant

Maryellen Gray

Stephen Gressak

Judith Hingley

Joyce Hoberg

William Leaver

Eileen Lucier

Paula Maloney

Gladys McGuinness

Gordon Merten

Martha Miles

Arlene Murray

Johanne Oliveri

Carl Olson III

Dennis Page

Paul Papadonis

Wayne Phipps

Richard Robinson

Grenith Rose

Dorothy Smith

Robert Smith, Jr.

Kathleen Soja

Barbara Toland

Jean Warden

Linda Wilde

John Zangari

NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

CLASS OF 1986 May 31, 1986

A \$50.00 Savings Bond for Good Citizenship and Excellence of Character given by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

RECIPIENT: Anne Tysen

The American Legion School Award given by the Roger L. Wood Post, #355 of Mendon for the student who best exemplifies the qualities of Honor, Courage, Scholarship, Leadership, and Service.

RECIPIENT: Cheryl Grady

Three \$100.00 Scholarships awarded by the Home and Community Service Committee of the Upton Grange to the Upton Girl and Boy judged to be most deserving.

RECIPIENTS: Diane Grillo
Amy Wirth
Peter Lupachini

Two \$100.00 Good Fellowship Awards given by the Mendon Firefighters to a Mendon Girl and Boy furthering their education.

RECIPIENTS: Tara Kearnan
Scott Erickson

The Ella Whitney Risteen Awards of \$25.00 each to the Girl and Boy who have made the greatest progress in terms of total growth and development of the students during the high school years.

RECIPIENTS: Karen Hasker
Robert Tassone

Two \$200.00 Scholarships awarded by the George L. Wood Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Upton.

RECIPIENTS: Jennifer Howarth
Robert Tassone

One \$100.00 Award known as the Virginia Rogers Memorial Scholarship given by her family.

RECIPIENT: Cynthia Rogers

One \$500.00 Scholarship given by the Upton Police Association Local 162, Massachusetts Coalition of Police to an Upton resident continuing his or her education.

RECIPIENT: Robert Tassone

Two \$150.00 Scholarships known as the St. Michael's Catholic Women's Club Scholarship to a member of St. Michael's Parish.

RECIPIENTS: Cheryl Grady
Robert Roy

Three \$200.00 Scholarships given by the Upton Bloomer Girls, A Community Service Organization.

RECIPIENTS: Diane Grillo
Denise LaJoie
Jason Vanling

Two \$100.00 Scholarships known as the David French Hamilton Memorial Scholarship Awards, established by his family and friends, presented to a graduating student who is eager to learn, willing to work hard and has demonstrated qualities of Citizenship, Leadership, and Commitment.

RECIPIENTS: Cathleen Lewinsky
Jason Vanling

Two \$100 Awards given by the National Honor Society of Nipmuc Regional High School to those students who have shown personal and academic growth in their four years of High School and who have exhibited potential for success in a post high school program.

RECIPIENTS: Darlene Slavin
Peter Lupachini

One \$150.00 Service Award given by the Nipmuc Secretarial Services, a group of students in the Business Department.

RECIPIENT: Teresa Clark

One \$300.00 Scholarship known as the Hrold C. Barrows, Jr. Memorial Scholarship given by his family to a Mendon student exhibiting Good Citizenship, Leadership, Common Sense, Compassion for others and an interest in good honest government.

RECIPIENT: Darlene Slavin

One \$100.00 Foreign Language Scholarship.

RECIPIENT: Rebecca Hawkins

Ella Risteen Scholarship, Clause B administered by the Selectmen of Upton and approved by the November 1984 Special Town Meeting, a sum not to exceed \$1,500.00, to be awarded annually to Upton students graduating from a private or public high school and planning to further their education.

RECIPIENTS: 100.00 Lauren Dowd
100.00 Jennifer Howarth
100.00 Denise LaJoie
100.00 Allen Latimore
100.00 Kristin Sylvester
100.00 Jasaon Vanling
100.00 Amy Wirth
200.00 Michelle Dean
200.00 Rebecca Hawkins
200.00 Peter Lupachini

Two \$250.00 Scholarships given by the Mendon Police Association to that Girl and Boy who display Good School Fellowship.

RECIPIENTS: Cheryl Grady
Scott Erickson

One \$200.00 Scholarship given in memory of Clifford LaPierre by his family and friends.

RECIPIENT: Jason Vanling

Two \$150.00 Awards given by the Mendon-Upton Music Boosters to students furthering his or her education in the Music Field.

RECIPIENTS: Peter Lupachini
Robert Tassone

One \$100.00 award known as the Harold F. Lowell Memorial Scholarship given to a Girl or Boy furthering his or her education.

RECIPIENT: Susan Ghelli

Two \$150.00 Awards given by the Nipmuc Warriors Club to a Girl and Boy in the Athletic Program.

RECIPIENTS: Cheryl Grady
Scott Erickson

Two \$100.00 Scholarships awarded by the American Legion Post #173 to an Upton Girl and Boy.

RECIPIENTS: Michelle Dean
Jason Vanling

One \$200.00 Scholarship given by the Mendon Country Gift Barn to a deserving student having an average academic rank and furthering his or her education.

RECIPIENT: Nicholas DiLegge

One \$150.00 Wesley T. Rogers Memorial Award given in recognition to the student from Mendon who demonstrated qualities of Good Character, Good Citizenship, and who has made good academic progress through his or her school years.

RECIPIENT: Anne Tysen

Two \$250.00 Scholarships given by the Mendon Lion's Club to that Mendon Girl and Boy judged to be most deserving and planning to further his or her education.

RECIPIENTS: Mary Staffier
Scott Erickson

One \$100.00 Scholarship given by the Upton Grange Community Drama Club to a student planning to major in Theatre, Television, Radio or Film.

RECIPIENT: Peter Lupachini

One \$100.00 Award given by Just A Wee Day School, Suzanne Byrne, Director, to a student furthering his or her education in the Early Childhood field.

RECIPIENT: Michelle Dean

One \$300.00 Award known as the Deborah L. Beltramini Memorial Scholarship to be awarded from a fund established by her family and friends and to be given annually to a student who demonstrates a talent in and a love of music and who plans to further his or her education.

RECIPIENT: Robert Tassone

Two \$500.00 Scholarships awarded by the First Unitarian Society of Upton to a deserving Upton student continuing his or her education.

RECIPIENTS: Kara Higgins
Jason Vanling

One \$500.00 Award known as the Larry C. Niro Memorial Citizenship Award given by his family and friends to the Mendon Senior Student from Nipmuc Regional High School who demonstrates the qualities for which Mr. Niro will be remembered: Good Fellowship, Regard for others, Service to the Community, Industriousness, Personableness, Kindness, and Compassion.

RECIPIENT: Cheryl Grady

Four \$500.00 Scholarships given by the Upton Women's Club to a Mendon or Upton student furthering his or her education.

RECIPIENTS: Susan Ghelli
Tara Kearnan
Denise LaJoie
Anne Tysen

Two \$550.00 Scholarships from monies originally intended to begin an American Field Service Foreign Student Exchange Program for Nipmuck Students by Donald Johnson, Upton, Terry Tycks, Mendon and the late Henry P. Clough, Mendon.

RECIPIENTS: Darlene Slavin
Peter Lupachini

One \$500.00 Johanna Gould Bradley Memorial Scholarship given by her family, friends and the Class of 1984 to a Senior eager to learn, capable of leadership but more willing to serve, honest, friendly compassionate to others, willing to listen, possessing good judgement and exhibiting common sense.

RECIPIENT: Jennifer Howrath

One \$1,000.00 Scholarship given by the Milford Rotary Club to a student furthering his or her education.

RECIPIENT: Christine Parker

One \$1,000.00 Scholarship Award known as the George R. Whitten, Sr. Annual Scholarship selected and given by George R. Whitten, Jr. to a Mendon resident furthering his or her education at other than a four-year college.

RECIPIENT: Sheri Thibeault

The Mendon-Upton Regional Teachers Association awards eight Scholarships totaling \$2,000.00.

One \$300.00 award known as the Janet O. Stockwell Memorial Scholarship to a student furthering his or her education.

RECIPIENT: Paula Greenlaw

One \$300.00 Scholarship awarded to a Boy or Girl entering the field of education.

RECIPIENT: Jennifer Howarth

Four awards in the amounts designated:

RECIPIENTS: 100.00 Diane Grillo
100.00 Tara Kearnan
100.00 Peter Lupachini
100.00 Anne Tysen

One \$500.00 Scholarship known as the Henry P. Clough Memorial Scholarship given by the Mendon-Upton Teachers Association. Selection is based on Scholarship, Leadership, Service and Character.

RECIPIENT: Susan Ghelli

One \$500.00 Scholarship known as the Wilho Frigard Memorial Scholarship to be given each year from a fund created by his friends and colleagues.

RECIPIENT: Cheryl Grady

Special recognitions, scholarships and financial aid packages have been awarded by other community groups and colleges:

Holy Angels Church of Upton \$100.00 each to:

Kim Bishop	Teresa Clark
Michelle Dean	Lauren Dowd
Diane Grillo	Kathleen Hall
Debra Hodgkins	Peter Lupachini

Kristen Woodin

A \$200.00 Scholarship known as the Gary Bates Memorial Scholarship selection by the Bates Scholarship Committee and the Upton Board of Selectmen to:
Robert Wallen II

The following Financial Aid Grants may be renewable each year:

Lori Castellano	Full tuition Dudley Hall
Lauren Down	\$700.00 Mt. Ida College
Cheryl Grady	\$8,700.00 Boston College
Paula Greenlaw	\$500.00 Southwest Baptist University
Rebecca Hawkins	\$1,000.00 Academic Grant from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
	\$1,000.00 University of Massachusetts Alumni Scholarship
Kim Bishop	\$100.00 BayPath Jr. College
Peter Lupachini	\$1,750.00 Emeson College

The students, faculty and parents of the Mendon-Upton Regional School District are grateful for the scholarships and support given to our seniors from the many local groups and community organizations. Thank You!

REPORT OF BLACKSTONE VALLEY VOCATIONAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

To: Chairman, Board of Selectmen
Town of Mendon

From: Eugene D. Picard, Superintendent-Director
Subject: Annual Report (1985-86 School Year)

Enclosed is the Blackstone Valley Vocational Regional School District's Report for FY 1986. It includes a general narrative and a Balance Sheet for the year ending June 30, 1986.

The report was delayed this year because of the unexpected demise of the district's treasurer, Mr. Arthur Young, who died in August 1986.

The firm of Robert Ercolini & Co was engaged to conduct a cash audit and to certify the year's Balance Sheet as required in such circumstances. The complicated audit was completed and certified in mid-December.

Budget preparation for FY1988 is underway. A finalized budget with assessments is anticipated in February 1987.

Eugene D. Picard
Superintendent-Director

MENDON—UPTON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

July 1, 1985 — June 30, 1986

Cash Balance — July 1, 1985 \$ 255,785.16

RECEIPTS:

Town Assessments:

Mendon	\$1,109,963.50	
Upton	<u>1,086,284.00</u>	2,196,247.50

Chapter 70 Reimbursement		771,462.00
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State Reimbursements:

Chapter 74	998.00	
SBAB	173,503.55	
Chapter 71	1,142,215.00	
Chapter 71	175,073.00	
Chapter 71A	32,179.00	
Chap. 188 (PDG)	28,981.00	
Chap. 188 (SIC)	6,290.00	
155—6	510.00	
PL98—377	735.00	
178—6	<u>2,875.00</u>	1,563,359.55

E.S.E.A. CHAPTER I		20,683.00
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E.S.E.A. CHAPTER II		4,365.00
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Federal Grants:

245—5	12,375.00	
241—6	42,264.00	
232—5	1,750.00	
175—6	5,159.34	
081—6	<u>3,418.00</u>	64,966.34

Interest		28,541.43
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Tuitions		575.00
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Rents		3,528.00
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Net Increase in Distributive Education		379.20
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Net Increase in Athletic Funds		2,468.55
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Shawmut (Gym Floor)		80,476.64
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Gifted and Talented Program		17,679.35
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Insurance Recovery		3,251.42
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Miscellaneous		5,393.77
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Payroll Deducts & Insurance Payments		<u>986,403.90</u>
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TOTAL		\$6,005,565.81
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DISBURSEMENTS:

Operational Expenses		\$4,263,584.87
Debt Service:		
Principal	\$ 150,000.00	
Interest	<u>130,400.00</u>	280,400.00
E.S.E.A. CHAPTER I		17,905.93
E.S.E.A. CHAPTER II		4,014.58
Federal Grants:		
245-5	8,064.48	
241-6	48,280.86	
232-5	539.00	
175-6	5,092.50	
081-6	<u>3,416.32</u>	65,393.16
State Disbursements:		
Chap. 188 (PDG)	31,125.00	
Chap. 188 (SIC)	6,042.25	
155-6	510.00	
178-6	<u>3,323.66</u>	41,000.91
Net Decrease in School Lunch		5,502.55
Net Decrease in Special Funds		434.99
Shawmut (Gym Floor)		80,476.64
Insurance Recovery		2,066.17
Gifted & Talented Program		29,473.81
Petty Cash		160.00
Payroll Deducts & Insurance Payments		986,189.58
E & D		10,879.36
Cash Balance — July 1, 1986		<u>218,083.26</u>
TOTAL		\$6,005,565.81

MENDON—UPTON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

BALANCE SHEET

JUNE 30, 1986

ASSETS:

Home National Bank	\$ 217,848.19	
Milford Federal Savings & Loan	<u>235.07</u>	\$ 218,083.26

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES:

E.S.E.A. CHAPTER I	3,360.19	
E.S.E.A. CHAPTER II	731.24	
TITLE IVC	21.45	
State Projects	(5,948.34)	
Federal Grants	(2,344.91)	
School Lunch Program	848.81	
Athletic Programs	6,516.57	
Special Funds	1,611.49	
Distributive Education	2,212.57	
Insurance Recovery	151.39	
Adult Education	45.00	
Gifted & Talented Program	(11,794.46)	
Encumbered Payroll	7,634.07	
District Contribution Carry Over	71,213.79	
E & D	<u>143,824.40</u>	\$ 218,083.26

CONSOLIDATED CAFETERIA FINANCIAL REPORT

The following represents the combined financial report of the Mendon, Upton, and Nipmuc Regional High School Cafeterias for the 1985—1986 year.

Cash Balance — July 1, 1985 \$ 6,351.36

RECEIPTS:

Cafeteria Sales	115,882.73
Other Receipts	765.13
USDA Claim Checks	31,887.13

DISBURSEMENTS:

Food and Milk	\$ 65,967.87
Labor	73,413.16
Other Expenses	13,550.32
Equipment	1,106.19

Cash Balance — July 1, 1986	<u> </u>	<u>848.81</u>
	\$ 154,886.35	\$ 154,886.35

Cash Value of Inventory	\$ 9,647.82
Outstanding USDA Claim Checks	\$ 8,037.32

MENDON—UPTON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

END OF YEAR FINANCIAL REPORT

June 30, 1986

	Budget	Transferred Allocations	Expended	Balance	Accounts Transferred
1000 Administration	\$ 103,686.00	\$ 108,691.02	\$ 108,691.02	\$ 0	\$ 5,005.02 from 2000
2000 Instruction	2,478,087.72	2,425,874.52	2,425,874.52	0	
3000 Other School Services	301,505.00	305,160.54	305,160.54	0	3,655.54 from 2000
4000 Operation & Maint.	451,265.16	451,265.16	436,437.79	14,827.37	
5000 Fixed Charges	259,138.00	240,110.54	216,364.65	23,745.89	
7000 Acq. of Fixed Assets	32,000.00	38,457.44	38,457.44	0	6,457.44 from 2000
SPED	625,476.25	677,969.16	677,969.16	0	33,465.45 from 2000 19,027.46 from 5000
Occupation Education	51,000.00	54,629.75	54,629.75	0	3,629.75 from 2000
TOTALS	\$4,302,158.13	\$4,302,158.13	\$4,263,584.87	\$ 38,573.26	

**ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE**

**BLACKSTONE VALLEY VOCATIONAL
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 1985 to JUNE 30, 1986**

REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE

1985-86

Kelton D. Johnson - Chairman	Sutton
Edward S. Henderson - Vice Chairman	Upton
L. Wayne Gilley - Secretary	Douglas
E. Kevin Harvey	Bellingham
Matthew C. Krajewski	Blackstone
Diane M. Paradis	Grafton
	Hopedale
J. Gerard Sweeney	Mendon
Bradley J. Austin	Millville
Leodore J. Tebo, Jr.	Millbury
David A. Rando	Milford
Edward B. Postma	Northbridge
Herman Buma	Uxbridge

Arthur C. Young - Treasurer

Kevin R. Sherin - Counsel

Margaret Asadoorian - Recording Secretary

Eugene D. Picard - Superintendent-Director

Regular School Committee meetings are held at the Blackstone Valley Regional Vocational Technical High School, Pleasant Street, Upton, MA on the third Thursday of each month in the School Committee Conference Room at 7:30 pm.

DAY SCHOOL

The Blackstone Valley Regional Vocational Technical High School opened for academic classes and vocational-technical training on August 20, 1985. This was the twentieth school opening. Approximately 4,600 ninth grade students have experienced "opening-day" since the school enrolled its first class in the fall of 1966. After 180 days, school sessions were concluded on June 6, 1986.

A full-day session consists of 5½ hours per school day which provides 990 hours of instruction annually. Students alternate in a two week cycle, between academic study and vocational-technical instruction. The academic program consists of english, math, social studies, science, physical education and electives each of the for years. Vocational-Technical instruction is provided in 16 different occupational fields. Each Student concentrates on occupational preparation in one of the specialties which is designed to provide gainful employment upon graduation.

The sixteen vocational-technical specialties are: Auto Body, Auto Technology, Computer Information Processing, Culinary Arts/Baking, Drafting, Electrical, Electronics, Graphic Arts, Health Services, Heating/Ventilation & Air Conditioning, Industrial Maintenance, Machin Shop, Metal

Air Conditioning, Industrial Maintenance, Machine Shop, Metal Fabrication /Sheet, Metal, Mill & House Carpentry, Painting & Decorating, and Plumbing.

Member town enrollments in the day-school as of October 1, 1985 indicated the following:

Town	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12	Total	(M)	(F)
Bellingham	30	24	24	25	103	(82)	(21)
Blackstone	18	15	9	9	51	(49)	(2)
Douglas	11	10	8	5	34	(27)	(7)
Grafton	22	30	19	23	94	(68)	(26)
Hopedale	11	4	4	3	22	(19)	(3)
Mendon	8	9	9	2	28	(18)	(10)
Milford	47	23	36	37	143	(107)	(36)
Millbury	33	34	33	27	127	(101)	(26)
Millville	6	5	5	5	21	(17)	(4)
Northbridge	28	29	24	19	100	(70)	(30)
Sutton	14	16	15	12	57	(43)	(14)
Upton	10	11	10	8	39	(19)	(20)
Uxbridge	<u>24</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>(58)</u>	<u>(20)</u>
	262	234	213	188	897	(678)	(219)

Special education services were provided for 129 students. Each student received special assistance as prescribed by an individual education plan. The majority of special education students were "mainstreamed" in both academic study and vocational-technical education.

Cooperative education provided 124 seniors with on-the-job-experience during the school year. The jobs were provided by 83 different employers who cooperated with the school by making positions available in their companies. The jobs were of the type which allowed the students to continue refinement of vocational-technical skills while also earning wages for their labor. This partnership between industry and the school is beneficial to both students and employers. The region as a whole also derives dividends in that a competent and educated work-force is continually being infused into the general economy of the area.

GENERAL COMMENTS

1. The regional vocational technical high school is a unique high school in that students are engaged in a demanding dual-education endeavor. They are involved in a general education program and vocational-technical training simultaneously. There is a conscious and purposeful attempt to unite academic study and occupational competency, citizenship and the work-ethic, from the day students enter the school to the day of graduation.

2. During the school year students participated in a variety of extra-curricular activities. The school's interscholastic athletic program afforded competition through the Dual Valley Conference where boys and girls played on the following teams: Cross Country, Soccer, Basketball, Softball, Track/Field, and Cheerleading. Approximately 185 students took part at the varsity and junior varsity levels.

3. Elected class officers represented sophomores, juniors and seniors. They were engaged in leading their classmates to raise funds, conduct dances and organize other social events, such as blood drives, assemblies and the junior/senior prom. Two Red Cross blood drives were conducted in October and April at which over 200 pints of life-saving blood was donated. The junior/senior prom held in April involved 180 couples who enjoyed a memorable evening at the Milford-Sheraton Hotel. A yearbook staff produced an outstanding Yearbook which was printed in the Graphic Arts department. Another group of students produced a remarkable literary magazine entitled BEAVER TALES which contained original works of prose, poetry, essays and commentaries authored by students. The Vocational-Industrial Club of America successfully competed with other vocational-technical schools in Massachusetts. Several students received recognition and awards in the Metal Fabrication and in Graphic Arts fields.

4. Two students were recipients of prestigious national recognition as scholars. Erik C. Easler, Milford, was named as a National Merit Scholar. Martin S. Pachomski, Uxbridge, was named as a runner-up National Merit Scholar. Another senior, Thomas A. Mitchell, Grafton, brought great distinction to himself, his family and the school by scoring a perfect 800 in mathematics on the National Scholarship Aptitude Test.

5. Another major community project was completed during 1985-86. Students in the construction cluster-carpentry, electrical, plumbing, air Conditioning/refrigeration, and painting/decorating programs-converted the former Kellett Funeral Home into a beautiful and functional public library for the town of Millville. The project was started in 1984-85.

6. The school's Three Seasons Restaurant, an integral component of the culinary arts program, served economical lunches and dinners to the public, 170 days (11am to 1pm) during the school year. The facility is noted for service and quality dining as evidenced by the hundreds of patrons who availed themselves of the accommodations.

7. Citizens of the Blackstone Valley region also used the training facilities afforded by the auto technology and auto body training programs.

8. Evening School Programs were available in the fall and spring semesters. Adult training was conducted as a self-supporting program consisting of 48 hours of vocational training in specialties such as Auto Body, Cabinetry, Machine Shop, Welding, Information Processing (computer use), Electrical and Electronics. Approximately 210 men and women participated and completed the certified programs for which they paid tuitions. A special welding program was conducted under the auspices and financed by Local Union No. 475, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America.

9. The vocational school and the Career Development Center (Hopedale) again joined forces in providing an exploration/training program for 50 young boys and girls (ages 14-16) during the months of July-August. The young people participated in graphic arts, food services, carpentry, auto body, auto mechanics and machine shop programs. Funds for the programs were provided by the U.S. Department of Labor and administered by the Career Development Center.

10. The vocational school, Quinsigamond Community College and the Ford Motor Co., initiated discussions to develop a jointly sponsored automotive technology program leading to an Associate Degree in Applied Science. Prospects for implementing such a joint venture are very encouraging and will be pursued vigorously.

11. The school year was not without problems. On September 27, 1985, Hurricane Gloria hit the region. School was closed for that day. The facilities were rapidly converted into an emergency shelter and used for two days by some elderly persons and physically handicapped persons. Food and sleeping facilities were readily available for the care and maintenance of those in need.

12. With the passage of Chapter 188 (School Improvement Law), the school district became eligible for Equal Education Opportunity Grants. Eligibility is due to the fact that the school's expenditures per pupil are below 85% of the average state-wide expenditure per pupil in similar vocational-technical schools. The school district received \$67,236 of E.E.O.G. after the member towns voted to allow the school district to accept the funds to supplement the operation appropriation. The school district will continue to be eligible as long as it remains below 85% of the state-wide expenditures per pupil.

Another Chapter 188 grant, Professional Development, was provided in the amount of \$67,345. It also was approved by member towns and will be used to enhance teacher salaries upon agreement between the school committee and teachers association as to how the professional faculty will fulfill obligations to satisfy an appropriate form of professional development tasks.

13. Two major facility projects were undertaken during the school year. The first involved underground hot-water-heating lines which burst due to deterioration. Replacement and interior rerouting was accomplished during the month of December. Being an emergency, the school committee voted and expended \$34,000 from unrestricted funds. The second project involved replacement of the original fire alarm system. Installed in 1965, the system became obsolete and inadequate. An appropriated sum of \$23,000 was used to initiate the replacement with plans to complete the project in 1986-87.

Original refrigeration in the school's cafeteria was also replaced as planned.

Graduation - Class of 1986

One hundred and seventy-nine (179) seniors graduated at outdoor ceremonies held Saturday, May 24, 1986. The graduates received both a high school diploma and a certificate of proficiency in their vocational-technical field of expertise. Class officers for the Class of 1986 were: President, Patrick

Gorman (Electrical-Upton); Vice President, Ann Marie Gould (Health Services - Douglas); Secretary, Beth Bliss (Health Services - Uxbridge); and Treasurer, Andrea Lomartire (Health Services - Millbury).

Dr. Elaine Cadigan, Director of Programs, Division of Occupational Education, addressed the graduates. She congratulated the students for their academic achievement and for their demonstrated competencies in various occupational specialties. She encouraged the graduates to continue their quest for greater attainment and fulfillment. She urges them to remember that their vocational education would be the basis for future successes. Twenty-two percent (22%) of the graduates planned to pursue higher education.

Below is the placement record of the graduates:

Vocational/ Technical Program	No. of Grads	Employed	Post-	Military* Secondary*	Undecided
Air Conditioning	5	4	1	-	-
Auto Body	9	8	-	-	1
Auto Technology	10	10	-	-	-
Carpentry	20	17	-	-	3
Culinary Arts	13	7	3	2	1
Info. Processing	15	1	11	3	-
Drafting	12	6	3	3	-
Electrical	9	7	1	-	1
Electronics	17	4	13	-	-
Graphic Arts	17	12	3	-	2
Health Services	6	2	3	-	1
Machine Shop	11	6	1	1	3
Metal Fabrication	7	5	-	2	-
Painting/Decorating	4	3	-	-	1
Industrial Maint.	7	6	-	1	-
Plumbing	16	15	-	1	-
Blds/Grounds (502.4)	1	1	-	-	-
	179	114	39	13*	13

*Note (1) Thirty-three of the studentd going on to post-secondary education were employed in their fields of trainging at the time of graduation.

(2) Ten of thirteen students going into the military were scheduled to pursue service-occupations directly related to their fields of training.

Personal & Services

1. The school-year staff employed by the vocational regional school district consisted of professional and support personnel. Staffing patterns and numbers are as follows:

Direct Education Services		Ancillary Education Services		Support Services	
Vocational Instructors	39	Media	1	Nurses	2
Academic Teachers	24	Counselors	2	Caf. Workers	11
Special Services	5	Supervisors	2	Sec./Clerical	4
Education Aides	4	Coordinators	2	Matron	1

2. Full-year staff employed by the vocational regional school district consist of:

Superintendent-Dir			
Superintendent-Director	1	Secretarial/Clerical	3
Assistant Director	1	Custodians	5.5
Facility Mgr.	1		

3. Twenty-two (22) contracted school buses were used to transport students to and from the thirteen member towns each day school was in session. Four (4) general extra routes were contracted to transport students from the school to their home towns on Tuesdays and Thursdays whenever students were involved in extra-curricular activities or detained for disciplinary reasons.

Conclusion

As has been the situation for the past twenty years, 1985-86 was a busy and exciting school year. Two professionals retired after fifteen years of service to the district. They were replaced with two highly qualified people. The finalized Program of Study was fully implemented. The plant facility was updated. Business operations were refined with the extension of computerization. Nevertheless, the administrative function is hard-pressed with the increased work-load caused by Chapter 188 requirements and the changing social dynamics which impact on schools in this day and age.

The School Committee, administration, faculty, advisory committees and support staff express their appreciation and thanks to all the citizens of this very supportive community - the thirteen members known as the Blackstone Valley Vocational Regional School District.

Respectfully submitted,
Eugene D. Picard

**BLACKSTONE VALLEY VOCATIONAL REGIONAL
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Balance Sheet, June 30, 1986

	Assets			Combined Total (Memorandum Only)
	Operating Fund	Capital Project Fund	Long-Term Obligations Group	
Cash	\$ 5,641	\$ 15,759		\$ 21,400
Investments, at cost				
which approximates market	697,509	---	---	697,509
Accounts receivable —				
grants	26,455	---	---	26,455
Amount to be provided				
for retirement of				
long-term debt	---	---	2,205,000	2,205,000
Total assets	<u>\$729,605</u>	<u>\$ 15,759</u>	<u>\$2,205,000</u>	<u>\$2,950,364</u>
Liabilities and Fund Balances				
Liabilities:				
Accounts payable and				
accrued expenses	\$ 29,650	\$ ---	\$ ---	\$ 29,650
Accrued contract				
payroll	73,140	---	---	73,140
Other liability	100,000	---	---	100,000
Bonds payable:				
4.9% school bonds	---	---	500,000	500,000
11.2% school bonds	---	---	1,705,000	1,705,000
Fund balances:				
Unreserved fund balance	204,867	---	---	204,867
Reserve for encumbrances	54,775	---	---	54,775
Designated and re-				
stricted	267,173	---	---	267,173
Capital project fund	---	15,759	---	15,759
Total fund balances	<u>526,815</u>	<u>15,759</u>	<u>---</u>	<u>542,574</u>
Total liabilities and				
fund balance	<u>\$729,605</u>	<u>\$ 15,759</u>	<u>\$2,205,000</u>	<u>\$2,950,364</u>

**BLACKSTONE VALLEY VOCATIONAL REGIONAL
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Statement of Revenues and Expenditures of Operating Funds

For The Year Ended June 30, 1986

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>
REVENUES:		
Local sources:		
Assessments to participating towns	\$ 742,875	\$ 742,875
Interest on investments and bank accounts	—	47,125
Miscellaneous	—	11,569
	<u>742,875</u>	<u>801,569</u>
Federal and state reimbursements:		
General aid	1,762,000	1,751,289
Regional school aid	724,485	724,651
Pupil transportation	306,515	297,279
Debt retirement	367,670	408,068
	<u>3,160,670</u>	<u>3,181,287</u>
Total revenues	<u>3,903,545</u>	<u>3,982,856</u>
EXPENDITURES:		
Instruction	1,762,265	1,711,393
Other school services:		
Pupil transportation	311,000	337,706
Guidance and social work	249,150	260,784
Athletics	34,825	32,508
Library and audiovisual	29,640	29,640
Other	36,410	35,866
Administrative and fixed charges and employee benefits	464,735	454,637
Operation and maintenance of physical plant	451,875	498,948
Debt retirement and debt service:		
School bonds	563,645	563,645
Total expenditures	<u>3,903,545</u>	<u>3,925,127</u>
Excess of revenues over expenditures	<u>\$ —0—</u>	<u>\$ 57,729</u>

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TOWN TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Assessors/Bldg. Dept.	473-2738
Town Clerk	473-1085
Treasurer-Collector	473-6410
Board of Selectmen	473-2312
C.O.A.	478-6175
Board of Health	473-2679
Police (emergency)	473-2727
(office)	478-2737
Fire	473-3434
Highway	473-0737
Park Department	473-1771
Library	473-3259

FIRE ALARM BOXES



- 15 North Ave. at Northbridge Rd.
- 33 Bellingham St. and Bates St.
- 36 Hartford Ave. E. and Bellingham St.
- 42 Route 16 at Main St.
- 44 Fire Station
- 45 Route 16 at Emerson
- 112 Nipmuc Regional School
- 414 Sunrise Apartments
- 1171 H.P. Clough School

General Signals



- | | |
|----------|----------------------|
| 1 Blast | Noon Test |
| 2 Blasts | All Out |
| 4 Blasts | House Call |
| 5 Blasts | Out-of-Town |
| 6 Blasts | Grass and Brush Fire |
| 8 Blasts | Air Raid |